

SIXTY-THIRD

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Town Officers

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1936



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TOWN OFFICERS, 1936

TOWN CLERK

Charles L. Fairbanks

TREASURER

Charles H. Lane

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Marjorie F. McDonald

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Charles E. Bagley

SELECTMEN

George H. Burnett	Term expires March, 1937
Charles M. Proctor	Term expires March, 1938
Alton B. Spurr	Term expires March, 1939

ASSESSORS

Herbert E. Banfill	Term expires March, 1937
Thomas P. Featherstone	Term expires March, 1938
Ralph H. Clark	Term expires March, 1939

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Albert Beaton	Term expires March, 1937
George A. Morrison	Term expires March, 1938
Helen Burnett	Term expires March, 1939

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

James G. Stockwell	Term expires March, 1937
Harris D. Eaton	Term expires March, 1938
William N. Davis	Term expires March, 1939

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Charles H. Lane	Term expires March, 1937
Patrick J. O'Reilly	Term expires March, 1938
Edward C. Ramsdell	Term expires March, 1939

BOARD OF HEALTH

James F. Telfer	Term expires March, 1937
Angeline B. Mattioli	Term expires March, 1938
George A. Labarrè	Term expires March, 1939

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Patrick J. Brock	Term expires March, 1937
Erwin L. Smith	Term expires March, 1938
Charles H. Newton	Term expires March, 1939

TRUSTEES OF LIBRARY

Mildred W. Wadsworth	Term expires March, 1937
John McHugh	Term expires March, 1937
Marion F. Brinley	Term expires March, 1938
Grace K. Harwood	Term expires March, 1938
Albert S. Woodward	Term expires March, 1939
Charles L. Fairbanks	Term expires March, 1939

TREE WARDEN

Harry Burnett

TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE

James A. DeMone	Allan H. Draper
James F. Telfer	

FAYVILLE HALL COMMITTEE

Charles S. Nichols	Augustus E. Wright
Joseph Delarda	

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Edward W. Fay	Ralph G. Hinkley
Bernard A. Merriam	Charles W. Varey
John H. Burke	Fred E. Porter

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

William H. Onthank

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Charles L. Fairbanks

DOG OFFICER

Robert H. Johnson

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Elizabeth Colleary	Charles L. Fairbanks
Sereno W. Johnson	Thomas F. O'Donnell

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Patrick J. Brock

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Amos J. Toombs

BURIAL AGENT

Walter M. Offutt

PUBLIC WEIGHERS AND WEIGHERS OF COAL

Donald Blood	C. E. Abbott
Sanborn Caldwell	

FENCE VIEWER

Howard McCausland

POLICE

Charles M. Firmin	Patrick J. Brock
M. W. Bogert	James A. Harris
J. F. Telfer	Francis J. Salmon
Thomas J. Boland	Howard Lincoln
Robert H. Johnson	Robert Hennigan

CONSTABLES

Herbert E. Banfill	Harry W. Moore
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TOWN COUNSEL

Edward T. Simoneau

PLANNING BOARD

Luella E. Bassett	Term expires March, 1937
Gertrude I. Wadsworth	Term expires March, 1937
Robert F. Cheney	Term expires March, 1938
John A. Martin	Term expires March, 1939
Edward C. Ramsdell	Term expires March, 1939

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT FOR 1936

To the Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my annual report of the financial operations of the town for the year ending December 31, 1936.

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,
Town Accountant

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

I hereby certify that I have examined the various accounting records of the several town officers and departments charged with the receipt and expenditure of town funds and find all income and the disposition thereof properly recorded and accounted for.

CHARLES E. BAGLEY,
Town Accountant

Southborough, Massachusetts,
February 3, 1937

Then personally appeared, Charles E. Bagley, and made oath that the above statement signed by him is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Notary Public

REVENUE RECEIPTS, 1936

FROM TAXES

1. Taxes of 1936

Polls	\$1,242.00	
Personal	18,727.41	
Real Estate	65,608.56	
Motor Excise	4,701.75	
Veterans' Exempt.	13.50	\$90,293.22

2. Taxes of 1935

Polls	6.00	
Personal	582.70	
Real Estate	14,550.16	
Motor Excise	181.01	15,319.87

3. Taxes of 1934

Polls	2.00	
Real Estate	2,175.94	
Motor Excise	6.00	2,183.94

4. Tax Title Redemptions

Taxes	4,298.03	4,298.03
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Total of Receipts from Taxes		\$112,095.06
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FROM GENERAL REVENUE

5. From Commonwealth, for:		
Income Tax, Val.	5,485.02	
Income Tax, Ed.	1,720.00	
Corp. Tax, Business	1,993.87	
Corp. Tax, Utilities	189.77	
Race Track Dist.	260.70	
M. D. C. L'n of Tax	3,716.87	13,366.23
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6. From Licenses		
Bones and Fat	1.00	
Gasolene	5.50	
Garage	20.00	
Alcohol	6.00	
Milk	3.00	
Pedlars'	8.00	
Victuallers'	18.00	
Liquor	850.00	
Junk	15.00	
Board of Health	31.00	957.50
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7. From Permits		
Water Pipe Line	50.00	
Fireworks, Etc.	5.00	55.00
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8. From Grants		
Commonwealth for		
Federal Old Age		
Assist.	2,890.64	
Federal Dep. Child'n	30.00	
Federal Old Age Adm.	5.30	

Paupers' Burials	15.00	
County for		
Dog License Division	586.03	3,526.97
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9. From Gifts		
St. Mark's School	2,700.00	
Fay School	1,820.00	4,520.00
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Total from General Revenue		22,425.70

FROM SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

10. From Moth Assess.		
1936	110.00	
1934	1.39	111.39
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Total from Special Assessments		111.39

FROM COMMERCIAL REVENUE

11. From General Government		
Town Hall Rent	19.00	19.00
12. From Protection of Property		
Pumping Service,		
Fire Dept.	8.00	
Plant and Trim Trees,		
Tree Warden	301.26	
Insecticide Sales	9.40	
Forest Fires	12.30	
County a/c Dog Da'es	12.00	342.96
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13. From Health Dept.		
Tuberculosis, State		
Reimb.	260.71	
Other Income	14.40	275.11
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14. From Highways		
Commonwealth, for		
Snow Removal	57.50	
Reimb. Construction		
and Care	7,359.76	
County of Worcester, for		
Reimb. Construction		
and Care	599.69	
Town Highway Dept.,		
Private Repairs	600.72	8,617.67
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15. From Public Welfare		
Reimbursements by		
Cities and Towns	182.77	
State Care	42.65	
State Mothers' Aid	232.67	
State Old Age	1,240.24	1,698.33
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16. From Education		
Reimbursements		
Tuition—State	1,238.86	
Tuition—Cities and		
Towns	218.08	
Union Supt. State	1,619.52	
Industrial Schools—		
State	179.74	
Telephone Charges	8.05	3,264.25
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17. From Libraries

Library Fines	20.00	20.00
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18. From Unclassified Accounts

Fayville Hall, Rent	30.00	
Sale of Town Lands	90.00	120.00

19. From Water Depart.

Meter Rates	8,560.20	
Service Charges	794.90	
Ins. to Replace Tools	99.33	9,454.43

20. From Cemeteries

Sale of Lotes and Graves	440.00	
Care and Rep'rs, lots	613.00	
Burials	624.00	
Foundations	56.50	
Trust F'ds Lots Care	592.74	2,326.24

21. From Interest and Costs

Interest, 1936 Taxes	62.49
Interest, 1936 MVX	3.47
Costs, 1936 Taxes	24.85
Interest, 1935 Taxes	456.34
Interest, 1935 MVX	.31
Costs, 1935 Taxes	1.00
Interest, 1934 Taxes	239.06
Interest, 1934 MVX	.50
Costs, 1934 Taxes	26.45
Tax Titles Red. Int.	424.76

Tax Title Costs and		
Fees	170.81	
Gen'l Cash Deposits	642.20	
Willson Fund	60.00	
Fay Library Fund	66.62	
Cemetery Trust Funds	493.19	2,672.05
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Total from Commercial Revenue		28,810.04

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS

22. Agency Accounts		
State Tax—County		
Tax are included in		
general tax receipts		
Dog Licenses for C'ty	733.80	733.80
23. Trust Accounts		
Cemetery Perpetual		
Care Deposits	475.00	475.00
24. From Refunds		
Departmental	40.59	
Fire Ins'ce Premiums	305.03	
From Fay Lib. Inc.	32.45	
Cancelled checks	17.99	
Protested checks	4.00	
Investment Trust F'ds	350.00	750.06
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25. From Transfers		
Reserve Fund to		
W. P. A. Projects	50.00	
Advisory Board	5.75	
Assessors' legal	500.00	
Land Damage	250.00	

Town Hall	35.37	
Police	2.85	
Moth	50.00	
Tree Warden, Pvt.		
Work	250.00	
Highway Equip. and		
Maint.	100.00	
Soldiers' Relief	168.00	
Water Maint.	1,045.00	
Fire Insurance	7.34	
Cemeteries	320.00	2,784.31

26. Departmental Transfers

To Water Surplus from

Town Hall	24.00	
Fire Dept.	24.00	
Public Welfare	6.00	
Schools	72.00	
Fayville Hall	24.00	
Cemetery	24.00	174.00

Highway Mach'y Fund from

Chapter 81 account	181.96	
Chapter 90 account,		
Maint.	181.00	
Chapter 90 Const.		
account	741.50	
Equip. and Maint.	500.00	1,554.46

Highway Acc't Re-		
ceivable from		
Brigham Fund	6.00	
Cemetery Maint. Ac't	71.40	77.40

Assessors' Legal Exp.		
From Assessors' Ac't	488.75	
Public Welfare,		
Mothers' Aid	186.97	
Water Dept. from		
Soldiers' Relief	78.00	753.72

Total from Non-Revenue Receipts	\$7,302.75
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Total of all Receipts	\$170,744.94
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BALANCES

27. Balances on hand and on deposit:

December 31, 1935	
General Cash Acc.	79,940.49
Willson Fund Income	110.83
Fay Fund Income	113.75
Rural Cem. Res. F'd	703.45
	80,868.52

Total of all receipts and balances	\$251,613.46
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PAYMENTS, 1936

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1. Advisory Board		
Postage and Printing		\$5.75
2. Planning Board		
Plans		30.00
3. Selectmen		
Selectmen, salaries	\$450.00	
Clerk, Salary	50.00	
Stenographer	3.00	
Post., Printing & Sta.	22.73	
Transportation	17.70	
Telephone	5.89	
Association dues	6.00	555.32
4. Accounting		
Accountant, salary	500.00	
Post., Printing & Sta.	35.09	
Supplies	3.15	538.24
5. Treasurer		
Treasurer, salary	500.00	
Post., Printing & Sta.	54.92	
Bond	125.00	
Insurance	31.00	
Assoc. dues & exp.	20.00	730.92

6. Collector

Collector, salary	600.00	
Postage and Sta.	85.12	
Printing and Adv.	40.03	
Bond, collector	163.00	
Bond, Deputy	10.00	
Insurance	25.75	
Assoc. dues and exp.	6.00	929.90

7. Assessors

Assessors, salaries	975.00	
Clerical hire	5.00	
Postage & Sta.	23.43	
Adv. and Printing	15.31	
Abstracts	42.51	1,061.25

8. Assessors' Valuation Book

Printing report	205.00
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9. Town Clerk

Town Clerk, salary	350.00	
Recording fees	45.50	
Postage and Sta.	8.53	
Adv. and Printing	3.13	
Bond	5.00	
Assoc. dues	2.00	414.16

10. Election & Registration

Registrars, salaries	80.00
Election officers	335.75
Other services	12.00
Posting warrants	16.00
Postage and Sta.	18.05

Adv. and Printing	140.38	
Meals	49.35	
Seals	11.10	
All other expense	9.00	671.63

11. Tax Title Costs & Expense

Collector, recording costs	18.56	
Collector, other costs	71.65	
Treasurer, costs and fees	42.45	
Sale of land, costs	4.63	137.29

12. Law Department

Town Counsel, 1936		
(basis \$250 y'rly)	156.25	
Town Counsel, 1935	287.30	
Settlement land taking claim	250.00	693.55

13. Selectmen's Project Fund

Allotted to Highway		
Dept. for:		
Sand and gravel	367.00	
Truck hire	332.38	
Equip'ent and rep's	128.16	
Blasting	65.23	
Culverts	53.41	
Drag Plate	53.00	
Misc. services	18.12	
Tile pipe	13.40	

Telephone expense	14.95	
Cement	2.25	
All other expense	3.85	1,031.75

Alloted to Moth Dept., for		
Creosote	11.72	
Equip'ent & Supplies	3.72	15.44

14. Town Hall

Committee, salaries	75.00	
Janitor, salaries	600.00	
Other labor	19.88	
Fuel	273.60	
Light	48.95	
Janitor's supplies	11.46	
Repairs, building and equip.	94.92	
Telephone	40.81	
Water supply	24.00	
Postage and sta.	1.75	1,190.37

Total payments for General Government \$8,210.57

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

15. Police Department

Reg'lar officer, sal'y	1,500.00
Fayville officer, sal'y	526.00
Special police	49.00
Dog Officer	40.00
Court fees	4.10

Travel expense	100.00	
Telephone	9.75	
Lock-up expense	14.00	2,242.85

16. Fire Dept. Maintenance

Salaries account

Chief	200.00	
Captains	145.00	
Lieutenant	65.00	
Janitors	349.95	
Firemen	954.20	1,714.15

Maintenance Account

Fuel	236.00	
Light and gas	125.77	
Telephone	84.49	
Gasolene and Oil	46.00	
Equipment and Rep's	72.61	
Rubber Boots	30.00	
Water Supply	24.00	
Small Tools	16.23	
Supplies	58.71	
Repairs, Apparatus	7.75	
Garage Expense	14.05	
Boiler Inspection	10.00	
Refreshments	4.80	
Post., Sta., Printing	11.00	
Hydrant Services	1.65	
Anti-Freeze	2.00	
Flood Emerg'y P'ping	128.50	873.56

17. Hydrants—Snow Removal		
Labor		41.00

18. Gypsy & Browntail Moth		
Superintendent, sal'y	197.98	
Labor	394.13	
Truck Hire	72.53	
Telephone	.30	
Insecticides	92.70	
Hardware and Tools	16.11	
Shed Lights	9.00	
Gas and Oil	9.51	792.26

19. Tree Warden		
Tree Warden, salary	25.00	
Superintendent	129.10	
Labor	491.18	
Truck Hire	103.63	
Gasoline and Supplies	36.17	
Insecticides	110.87	
Trees	15.00	
Postage, Printing, Sta.	8.08	919.03

20. Private Tree Work		
Inspector	286.61	
Other Labor	8.25	294.86

21. Forest Fires		
Warden, salary	50.00	
Fighting fires	179.05	
Equipment and rep's	16.00	
Pump Cans	36.00	
Gasoline and Oil	5.91	
Painting Truck	125.00	411.96

22. Sealer of Weights & Measures

Sealer, salary	75.00	
Travel allowance	25.00	
Rent	75.00	
Supplies	8.28	183.28

Total for Protection of Property	7,472.95
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HEALTH AND SANITATION

23. Board of Health

Board of Health, sal's	75.00	
Agent, salary	10.00	
Postage, Printing, Sta.	21.44	
Telephone	.80	
County Hospital, patients	819.00	
State Hospital, patients	258.00	
Cities and Towns, reimbursed	30.15	
Other Hospitals	28.75	1,243.14

24. Inspection of Animals

Inspector, salary	100.00	
Inspector, travel exp.	25.00	125.00

Total for Health and Sanitation	1,368.14
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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

25. Chap. 81 Maintenance

Superintendent, sal- ary and travel	1,480.01	
Engineer	24.00	

Labor	4,193.58	
Truck and Team Hire	415.76	
Stone and Gravel	557.38	
Equipment & Repairs	62.47	
Tools and Supplies	102.95	
Gasoline and Oil	75.90	
Guard Rails	120.44	
P/L and P/D Ins'nce	259.75	
Truck Registrations	5.94	
Boiler Inspection	10.00	
Postage, Printing, Sta.	5.99	
Repairs, Traffic L'ts	1.25	
Concrete Pipe	302.40	
Sand	67.80	
Culverts	374.08	
Tarco C	120.44	
Tar 14-A	102.50	
65 % Road Oil	5,148.86	
Frames and Grates	28.44	
Ce'ent Posts and Ctg.	132.00	
Rental of Machinery	23.00	
Equipment Rental		
Charges	181.96	13,796.90

26. Equipment and Maintenance

Gas, Grease and Oil	689.45
Truck Repairs and	
Parts	454.60
Truck Tires	144.62
Battery	8.75
Waste	17.02
Light Bulbs	4.44
Small Tools	6.37

Supplies	14.06	
Fuel, Steam Roller	30.10	
Car Heater	14.50	
Towing Charge	7.00	
All other expense	2.15	1,393.06
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27. Chap. 90 Maintenance

Superintendent, salary and travel	173.32	
Labor	724.50	
Truck and Team Hire	95.00	
Engineer	27.00	
Stone and Gravel	68.45	
Town Line Signs	16.00	
Tarco C	144.55	
65% Road Oil	96.80	
85% Pen. Asphalt	124.42	
Cement Posts	35.00	
Other supplies	10.03	
Freight	3.01	
Equipment Rental		
Charges	131.00	1,649.08
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28. Chapter 90 Construction

Oak Hill Road

Superintendent, salary and travel	293.26	
Labor	1,790.58	
Truck and Team Hire	142.50	
Engineer	52.00	
Machine Operator	24.00	

Stone, Sand and		
Gravel	1,165.86	
Culverts	107.01	
Road Tar, 6183 gals.	621.09	
Blasting and Supplies	11.99	
15 Guard Rail Posts	18.75	
Compressor Rental	27.95	
Steam Shovel Rental	253.50	
Equipment Rental		
Charges	741.50	5,249.99

29. Snow and Ice Removal

Labor	865.76	
Truck and Team Hire	170.00	
Equip'ent and Rep's	136.63	
New Equipment	69.14	
Gasoline and Oil	111.36	
Sand	10.80	
Telephone	2.00	
All other expense	1.89	1,367.58

30. Street Lights

1936 Lighting	3,973.32	
1935 Lighting Bal'ce	331.11	4,304.43

31. Special Maintenance

Sidewalks		
Labor	96.17	
Dust and Stone	23.02	
Fences		
Cedar Posts	10.00	

Guard Rails	119.56	
Traffic Lights		
Repairs	1.25	250.00

32. Private Driveway Repairs

Superintendent, salary		
and travel	46.67	
Labor	291.00	
Truck and Team Hire	10.00	
45 % Road Oil, 1172		
gals.	97.63	
Stone, Dust and		
Gravel	20.57	
Lumber	1.75	
12" Pipe	30.11	
Sign Repairs	.50	498.23

33. Purchase of Truck and Equip't

Model 4-X 4-N		
Auto-Car	4,498.00	
Body Hoist	479.25	
Painting	70.00	
Wheel Chains	48.20	
Mounting Snow Plow	10.69	
Parts and Fittings	5.85	
Labor	16.88	
Snow Plow Attach'nt	30.85	
Lock Installation	3.50	
Plate Glass	3.50	5,166.72

Total of Highway Payments	33,675.99
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CHARITIES

34. Public Welfare Department

Overseers, salaries	400.00	
Clerical Expense	71.35	
Post., Print., and Sta.	73.18	
Travel	6.50	
Moving	16.00	
Repairs	3.20	
Labor	8.00	
Fertilizer	2.70	
Food, distribution and trans.	88.93	
Groceries, provisions and milk	1,782.04	
Fuel and Light	308.60	
Board and Care	451.70	
Hospitals and Medi- cal Attention	878.32	
Cash Grants, Individ's	338.22	
Clothing and Shoes	60.34	
Rent, Shelter	533.91	
Water Services	6.00	
Cities and Towns, reimbursed	157.98	5,186.97

35. Old Age Assistance

Cash grants, to men	2,483.15
Cash Grants, to women	2,167.28
Cities and Towns, reimbursed	648.86
Board and Care	401.72
Fuel	40.21

Groceries	42.51	
Medicine and Medical Attention	70.00	
Clothing	3.60	
Travel	.75	5,858.08
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36. Mothers' Aid		
Cash grants		728.00
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Total for Charities		11,773.05

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

37. Soldiers' Relief		
Cash grants to soldiers	1,447.00	
Medical Attention	83.00	
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Total for Soldiers' Benefits		1,530.00

EDUCATION

38. School Department		
School Committee, salaries	300.00	
Superinten't, salary	1,399.84	
Superintendent, travel and expense	140.93	
Attendance Officer	25.00	
Telephone	161.78	
Printing, Postage, Sta.	7.59	
Boiler Inspection	20.00	
Express Charges	2.90	

High School Teachers	10,528.50
Elementary School Teachers	13,325.38
Music Teacher	360.00
Drawing Teacher	400.00
Writing Teacher	270.00
Pupil Teachers, exp.	31.92
High School Books	253.09
Elem'y School Books	384.74
High School Supplies	232.18
Ele'y School Supplies	253.22
Domestic Arts Supplies	71.46
Man'l Tra'g Supplies	197.58
Transportation, Children	6,430.00
School Barge Insurance	495.30
High Sch'l Janitors	1,851.56
Elementa'y Janitors	1,692.00
Other Labor	40.50
Fuel and Gas	1,576.25
Light and Power	205.83
Water Services	72.00
High School Repairs	190.07
Ele'y School Repairs	180.61
Janitor's Sup's, H. S.	149.66
Janitor's Suppl's, Ele.	24.26
Repairs to equipment	4.62
New Equipment	161.04
School Nurse, Salary	820.00
Medical Supplies	9.07
Medical Inspection	50.00

Dental Inspection	50.00	
Physical Training		
Supplies	81.82	
Health Equipment	7.89	
Graduation expense	156.44	
All other expense	1.35	42,616.38

39. Trade Schools

Tuition, Boys in 1936	198.12	
Tuition, Girls in 1936	112.51	
Tuition, Girls in 1935	32.31	342.94

Total of Education, payments	42,959.32
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LIBRARIES

40. Library Maintenance

Librarian, Salary	658.00
Assistant Librarians	118.00
Janitors	339.00
Books	205.74
Book Lists	2.50
Book Index	12.00
Periodicals	51.64
Book Binding	40.59
Transporta'n, Books	104.00
Fuel	301.60
Lights	41.19
Repairs, Buildings	54.86
Removal of Ashes	9.00
Repairs to Equipment	15.82

Janitor's Supplies	10.23	
Other Labor	4.75	1,968.92

41. Fay Library Fund Income

Books	74.04	74.04
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Total for Libraries		2,042.96
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UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNTS

42. Fayville Hall

Janitors, Salaries	294.60	
Lights	20.54	
Fuel	150.00	
Water	24.00	
Janitor's Supplies	1.46	
Repairs	1.20	491.80

Chair Repairs, 1935 Account	24.00	
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515.80

43. Common and T. H. Grounds

Labor	163.00	
Equip'ent and Supplies	1.73	164.73

44. Memorial Day

Music	24.00	
Flags	17.00	
Flowers	44.30	
Refreshments	12.60	
All other expense	1.73	99.63

45. Town Reports		
Printing 700 Town Reports	420.00	
Postage and Distrib'n	29.00	449.00
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46. Fire Insurance		
Premiums Paid		1,456.86
47. Liability Insurance		
Estimated premium for 1936	661.62	
Additional premium earned, 1935	61.25	722.87
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48. By-Laws		
Printing revised by-laws	101.55	
Posage and Distrib'n	19.10	120.65
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Total for Unclassified Accounts		3,529.54

PUBLIC SERVICE

49. Water Department	
Superinte't, Salary	1,500.00
Registrar	100.00
Engineer	25.00
Labor	1,188.50
Repairs, Building	56.09
Post., Printing, Sta.	21.62
Telephone	63.57
Liability Insurance	62.18
Auto Registration	2.00
Insurance on tools and equipment	48.30

Insurance on pump-		
ing station & C'ts	131.60	
Association Dues	6.00	
Recording Liens	14.06	
Seed and Cement	.97	
Express, etc.	7.65	
New Motor and Clutch	73.40	
Anti-Freeze	7.38	
Painting Hydrants	78.00	
Tires and Tubes	17.81	
Gasoline and Oil	188.16	
Tools and Supplies	151.45	
Chlorine	65.00	
Equipment and Rep's	140.54	
Thawing Pipes	10.00	
Cutting Pipes	2.00	
New Equipment	17.97	
Pipe and Fittings	319.18	
Meters and Fittings	14.69	
Painting Tanks	623.20	
Electrical Repairs	101.08	
Oil Burner Repairs	17.99	
Trees, Loam, etc.	29.50	
Power and Light	1,346.35	
Fuel Oil	215.51	
Gate Valve	4.00	
All other expense	1.25	6,652.00
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50. Replacement Lost Tools		
New Tools	42.18	
Other Equip'ent, New	11.45	53.63
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Total for Public Service		6,705.63

CEMETERIES

51. Cemetery Maintenance

Commissioners, sal's	50.00	
Superinten't, salary	708.22	
Labor	1,674.22	
Clerical Expense	26.00	
Legal Expense	10.00	
Water Service	24.00	
Gravel and Loom	71.40	
Equipment and Re-		
pairs, etc.	96.39	
Oil	.80	
Repairs, shed roof	137.90	
Seed	13.50	
Chemicals	19.80	
Fertilizer	85.35	
Lime	7.20	
Cement	2.25	
Repairs to safe	10.00	
Lumber	6.11	
Post., Printing, Sta.	34.89	2,978.03

52. Brigham Cemetery Fund

Labor	26.25	
Teams and Trucks	6.00	
Cement	14.40	
Highway Dept. Serv.	6.00	52.65

Total payments for Cemetery		3,030.68
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INTEREST

53. Interest payments, general loans

Town Water Loan	9,600.00
School Loan	1,170.00
Fayville F. & W. Dist. Loan	1,995.00
Fire Station Loan	121.13

Total payments for Interest	12,886.13
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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

54. Maturing Debt, general loans

Town Water Loan	10,000.00
School Loan	2,000.00
Fayville F. & W. Dist. Loan	2,000.00
Fire Station Loan	1,900.00

Total payments for Indebtedness	15,900.00
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AGENCY

55. State and County Taxes

State Tax	5,400.00
County Tax	5,697.00
State Parks	37.98
Co'ty T. B. Hospital	5,292.61
Dog Licenses for C'ty	749.40
	17,176.99

TRUST

56. Investment and Payments

Perpetual Care F'nds 825.00

(\$350.00 returned—
see refunds)

Willson Fund Income 50.00

Cemetery Trust Fund

Interest 592.74 1,467.74

Total Agency and Trust Payments 18,644.73

REFUNDS

57. Refunded on account of

1935 Taxes, overpayment	1.00
1934 Taxes, overpayment	10.00
1935 M.V.X.	21.31
1936 M.V.X.	164.80
Fay Fund Income	32.45
Protested Checks	4.00
Total of Refund Payments	233.56
Total of all Cash Payments	\$169,963.25

TRANSFERS

58. Transfers from:

Reserve Fund to Departmental	
Accounts	2,784.31
Departmental Accounts to Other	
Departments	1,253.72
Total of Transfer Payments	4,038.03

BALANCES

59. Cash on hand and on deposit:

General Cash Account	76,274.02
Willson Fund Income	120.83
Fay Fund Income	73.88
Rural Cemetery Reserve Fund	1,143.45

Total of Cash Balances on hand, Dec.
31, 1936

77,612.18

Total of all Payments and Balances
for 1936

\$251,613.46

TRIAL BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 1936

General Cash	\$76,274.02
Willson Fund, Cash	120.83
Fay Fund, Cash	73.88
Rural Cemetery Res. Fund, Cash	1,143.45
1934 M. V. Excise	3.21
Polls	2.00
Taxes	2.95
Moth	\$12.23
Spraying	4.08
1935 M. V. Excise	29.83
Tax	2,789.83
Taxes—Water Liens	195.28
1936 M. V. Excise	483.10
Polls	8.00
Tax	17,817.89
Moth	29.37
Water Services	319.06
Water Rates	692.31
Water Available Surplus	14,323.04
Land Sales	90.00
Tax Title Account	2,815.79
Overlay 1934	527.43
1935	314.93
1936	1,143.34
Reserve Fund	3,391.10
Revenue, M. V. Excise	762.06
Special Assessment	40.85
Departmental	408.71
Tax Titles	3,031.93
Water	854.12

Accounts Receivable

Tree Warden	10.00	
Cemeteries	307.50	
Highways	101.21	
C/M Highways	2,943.17	
County of Worcester	2,000.31	
1936 Dog Licenses		586.03
Road Machinery Fund		1,554.46
O. A. Assist. Federal Grant		66.04
O. A. Admin. Federal Grant		5.30
Aid Depend. Children Federal Grant		30.00
Willson Fund Income		120.83
Town Water Supply		5,266.70
Fay Library Fund		73.88
Highway Depart. Account Payable		858.75
Brigham Fund		2.84
Assessors' Legal Expense		488.75
Excess and Deficiency		73,011.60
Rural Cemetery Reserve		1,143.45
Fayville Hall		25.00
Water Department Tools		45.70
Net Bonded Debt	295,900.00	
Fire Station		1,900.00
Schools		24,000.00
Water		230,000.00
Fayville F. and W. Dist.		40,000.00
Trust Fund, Cash and Sec'rities	22,754.13	
Fay Library Fund		1,554.13
Willson Charity Fund		1,000.00
Cemetery Trust Fund		19,200.00
Brigham Cemetery Fund		1,000.00
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	\$426,821.20	\$426,821.20

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH, BALANCE SHEET, JANUARY 1, 1937

REVENUE

ASSET ACCOUNTS		LIABILITY ACCOUNTS	
Cash Balances:		Overlay balances:	
General cash acc't	\$77,274.02	Year of 1934	\$527.43
Willson Fund, cash	120.83	1935	314.93
Fay Fund, Cash	73.88	1936	1,143.34
Rural Cem'y Res. Fund	1,143.45	Overlay reserve Fund	3,391.10
			\$5,376.80
Uncollected Tax Accounts:		Unexpended balances:	
1934 M. V. Excise	\$ 3.21	1936 Dog Licenses	\$586.03
Poll Taxes	2.00	Road Machinery Fund	1,554.46
Taxes	2.95	O. A. Assist. Fed. Grant	66.04
Spraying	4.08	O. A. Admin. Fed. Grant	5.30
1935 M. V. Excise	29.83	Depend. Children Fed. G't	30.00
Taxes	2,789.83	<u>Town Water Constr'n</u>	<u>5,266.70</u>
1936 M. V. Excise	483.10	Highway Acc't payable	858.75
Poll Taxes	8.00	Assessors' Legal exp.	488.75
Taxes	17,817.89	Fayville Hall	25.00
Moth Assess.	29.37	Water Dept., Tool Repl't	45.70
Tax Titles	2,815.79		8,926.73
Taxes—Water liens	195.28	Other balances:	
	24,181.33	1934 moth account	.23

Accounts Receivable:

Water Services	\$ 319.06	
Meter Rates	692.31	
Forestry	10.00	
Cemeteries	307.50	
Highways	101.21	
State a/c Highways	2,943.17	
County, Highways	2,000.31	6,373.56

Total of Asset Accounts\$108,167.07**Revenue Accounts:**

Motor Vehicle Excise	\$762.06	
Special Assessments	40.85	
Departmental	408.71	
Tax Titles	3,031.93	
Water	854.12	
Water Available Surp.	14,323.04	
Land Sales	90.00	19,510.71

Trust & Investment Funds:**Income balances:**

Willson Fund, Income	\$120.83	
Fay Library, Income	73.88	
Brigham Cemetery	2.84	
Rural Cemetery Res've	1,143.45	1,341.00

Excess & Deficiency:

Revenue Surplus	73,011.60
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Total of Liability Accounts\$108,167.07

DEBT STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1937

Loan	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1936	Paid in 1936	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1937	Due in 1937	Rate of Interest	Amount of Interest	Interest Due	Principal Due
Fire Station 1927—1937	\$3,800.00	\$1,900.00	\$1,900.00	\$1,900.00	4 1/4 %	\$40.38	1-15-37	6-15-37
School 1929—1949	26,000.00	2,000.00	24,000.00	2,000.00	4%	480.00 480.00	3-1-37 9-1-37	9-1-37
Town Water 1930—1959	240,000.00	10,000.00	230,000.00	10,000.00	4%	4,600.00 4,600.00	1-1-37 7-1-37	7-1-37
Fayville F. & W. Dist. 1930—1958	42,000.00	2,000.00	40,000.00	2,000.00	4 1/4 %	950.00 950.00	4-1-37 10-1-37	10-1-37
Totals	\$311,800.00	\$15,900.00	\$295,900.00	\$15,900.00		\$12,100.38		

INDEBTEDNESS

Net Bonded Debt	\$295,900.00	1927, Fire Station & Sheds	\$1,900.00
(January 1, 1937)		1929, School and Equipm't	24,000.00
		1932, Town Water	230,000.00
	\$295,900.00	1930, Fayv'le F. & W. Dist.	40,000.00
			<u>\$295,900.00</u>

TRUST FUNDS

Trust Funds	\$22,754.13	Fay Library Fund	\$1,554.13
(Cash and Securities)		Willson Charity Fund	1,000.00
		Brigham Cemetery Fund	1,000.00
		Cemetery Trust Funds	19,200.00
	<u>\$22,754.13</u>		<u>\$22,754.13</u>

SALARY AND WAGE SCHEDULE, YEAR 1936

Established by the Town.	Total
Selectmen (3)	\$450.00
Treasurer	500.00
Collector	600.00
Assessors (3)	975.00
Town Clerk	350.00
Registrars of Voters (4)	80.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	75.00
Overseers of Public Welfare (3)	400.00
Tree Warden	25.00
Board of Health (3)	75.00
Cemetery Commissioners (3)	50.00
Other Salaries and Wages.	
Town Accountant	\$500.00
Clerk, Selectmen	50.00
Town Hall Committee (3)	75.00
Chief of Fire Dept.	200.00
Firemen (each)	50.00
Fire House Janitors (3)	400.00
Superintendent of Streets	1,800.00
Superintendent of Streets, Travel	200.00
Superintendent of Cemeteries	1,000.00
Inspector of Animals	100.00
Night Patrolman	1,500.00
Fayville Officer (per week)	13.15
Registrar, Water Dept.	100.00
Forest Fire Warden	50.00
Superintendent of Water Dept.	1,500.00
Forest Fire payrolls (per hour)	\$.50 and .60
Cemetery Labor (per day)	4.00 and 4.50
Town Labor (per day)	4.00 and 4.50

UNCOLLECTED ACCOUNTS REPORTED

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Private Driveway accounts unpaid February 1, 1937.

E. C. Nichols, 1933	\$1.00	
Jos. Cummings, 1933	3.00	
H. Hunt, 1934	4.00	
Robert Johnson, 1934	2.50	
Robert Johnson, 1935	10.90	
A. Carboni, 1935	10.40	
M. J. Mullen, 1935	34.00	
Wm. K. Pinkham, 1935	4.00	
Charles LeGay, 1935	5.00	
Geo. Delaney, 1936	10.00	
J. Watkins, 1936	2.00	
A. E. Wright, 1936	6.01	\$92.81

TOWN HALL ACCOUNTS UNPAID JAN. 1, 1937

*Grange	\$42.00	
*Society for Social Justice	14.00	
*H. S. Alumni Association	3.00	
*St. Mark's Parish	3.00	
Knights of Columbus	3.00	\$65.00

*Payments credited after closing of books.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Report of the receipts and expenditures of the Town of Southborough for the year ending December 31, 1936.

Cash Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1936	\$79,940.49
Receipts from all sources	164,834.43
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	\$244,744.92
Expended as per Treasury Warrants	\$168,500.90
Cash Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1936	76,274.02
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	\$244,744.92

Itemized list of receipts has been filed with Town Accountant.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. LANE,
Treasurer

RURAL CEMETERY COMMISSION REPORT

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1936	\$703.45
Receipts from sale of lots	440.00
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Balance on hand Jan 1, 1937	\$1,143.45

Respectfully submitted

CHARLES H. LANE,
Treasurer

**Charles H. Lane, Treasurer, in account with Lucretia
Brigham Fund**

\$1,000.00

(On deposit with Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co.)

Jan. 1, 1936, Balance of income on hand	\$55.49
Interest received for 1936	27.50
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Total income and balance	\$82.99
Expended by Cemetery Commissioners in 1936	52.65
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Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1937	30.34

**Charles H. Lane, Treasurer, in account with Cemetery
Perpetual Care Trust Fund**

Total of funds on deposit, Jan. 1, 1936	\$18,725.00
Trust funds deposited during 1936	475.00
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	\$19,200.00

Report of Income from Cemetery Trust Funds

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1936	\$99.55
Interest (2½ %) received for 1936	493.19
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	\$592.74
Charges for care of trust fund lots	592.74

Fay Library Fund

Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1936	\$113.75
Receipts for the year	66.62
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	\$180.37
Expended as per Treasury Warrants	\$106.49
Balance on hand, Jan. 1, 1937	73.88
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	\$180.37

Respectfully submitted

CHARLES H. LANE,
Treasurer

**Charles H. Lane, Treasurer, in account with Willson
Charity Fund**

1936

Jan. 1.	Balance	\$110.83
. 10.	United Shoe Mach. Co., Dividend	15.00
Apr. 9.	United Shoe Mach. Co., Dividend	15.00
July 6.	United Shoe Mach. Co., Dividend	15.00
Oct. 6.	United Shoe Mach. Co., Dividend	15.00
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		\$170.83

Nov. 30.	Warrant No. 695	\$50.00
Jan. 1, 1937,	Balance	120.83
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		\$170.83

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1934, EXCISE

DR.

Uncollected, 1935 Report	\$20.34
Interest	.50
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	\$20.84

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$6.50
Abated	11.13
Uncollected	3.21
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	\$20.84

UNCOLLECTED 1934 EXCISE

John H. Miller	\$3.21
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Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,
Collector

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1935, EXCISE

DR.

Uncollected, 1935 Report	\$255.18
Committed in 1936	34.00
Interest	.31

\$289.49

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$181.32
Abated	79.97
Uncollected	28.20

\$289.49

UNCOLLECTED 1935 EXCISE

John Miller	\$2.00	Santo Rinaldo	2.00
Lazarus Ramelli	2.00	Warren E. Tupper	2.00
John Miller	2.00	Albert L. Booth	2.00
Joseph Burnett	8.00	Albert L. Booth	2.00
Thomas H. Ferris	2.20		
William Llewellyn	2.00		\$28.20
Marion C. Martin	2.00		

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,
Collector

**REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE
YEAR 1936, EXCISE**

DR.

Warrants in 1936	\$5,224.73
Interest	3.47
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	\$5,228.20

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$4,705.22
Abated	109.65
Uncollected	378.33
Adjusted	35.00
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	\$5,228.20

UNCOLLECTED 1936 EXCISE TAX

Burnett, Joseph	\$19.35	Dando, Eleanor	2.00
Hunt, Chester	2.35	Dix, Charles T.	4.45
Ramelli, Lazarus	2.00	Flannery, Katherine	2.00
Sanders, Elmer F.	14.70	Fortier, Alfred	2.00
Warwick, Mary A.	2.00	Leland, Margaret C.	11.35
White, Albert P.	2.35	*Parmenter, Geo. D.	7.95
Baker, Henry J.	2.00	Stearns, Miriam I.	3.34
DeMarco, Leonard J.	2.35	Trioli, James J.	2.00
Dyer, Ralph L.	2.00	Whittier, Royce K.	2.00
Geldart, Clifford	3.55	Brusie, Peter	2.00
Gunsolley, Harold M.	5.70	Burnett, Joseph	10.50
Hunt, Chester	2.35	Carpenter, F. Scott	3.60
Hull, Harry W.	12.05	Cox, Harris	2.00
Hull, George N.	2.00	Erickson, Gustaf	2.00
Kleberg, Axel H.	6.70	Flannery, John	10.90
*Melindy, Arthur I.	2.00	Fortier, Alfred	2.00
Phillipo, James	2.00	Heffernan, John	2.00
Raynes, Grace	5.35	Holland, John	2.00
Blaquiere, Francis P.	2.25	Hunt, Chester	2.00
Burgess, Enoch L.	2.00	McDonald, Charles	2.00
Foote, Asabel B.	2.00	Melindy, Arthur I.	2.00
Geldart, Clifford	13.25	Miller, John H.	2.00
Hosley, Wilbur	2.00	Pessini, Frank	2.00
Kleberg, Axel	2.00	*Quigley, Rena	2.00
McHale, Richard	2.70	*Quigley, Sarah	5.85
Novitch, Sidney	16.85	*Quinn, Frederick	7.85
Rylander, Oscar	2.00	Raynes, Grace	9.15
Sherman, Sheldon	2.00	Reed, Halloway	2.00
Alberini, Peter	2.00	Snow, Arthur	5.10
Bird, Reginald W.	11.70	Sora, Peter	5.10
Brockway, G'rge P.	18.70	Sullivan, Kenneth	2.00
Bussell, Forest J.	11.00	Cox, Frances	2.00

Giometti, Rideo	2.00	Salmon, William G.	2.70
*Hardman, Geo. D.	4.50	*Saunders, Chas. B.	6.50
*Hinkley, Louis	2.00	*Sparrock, Roy	2.00
Hunt, Chester	2.00	*Spurr, Alton B.	2.00
*Lange, Robert	2.00	Wilbur, Clyde M.	2.00
Lynch, James A.	6.10		
*Richards, John W.	2.00		

*Paid after the books were closed.

The above list is as of December 31, 1936, on which day many were not as yet due. This list is published in accordance with the new By-Laws and is subject to adjustments.

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,
Collector

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1934

DR.

Uncollected, 1935 Report	\$3,244.99
Interest	239.06
Costs	26.45
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	\$3,510.50

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$2,444.84
Abated	17.00
Tax Titles	1,039.86
Uncollected	8.80
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	\$3,510.50
Cora I. French	\$6.80
Bayard Stone	2.00
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	\$8.80

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,
Collector

**REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE
YEAR 1935**

DR.

Uncollected, 1935 Report	\$18,023.52
Interest	514.15
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	\$18,537.67

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$15,135.23
Abated	130.16
Tax Titles	1,214.76
Uncollected	2,057.52
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	\$18,537.67

UNCOLLECTED 1935 TAXES

Allis, Dexter W.	\$11.22	Liberty, Frank	2.24
Bigelow, Francis & Margaret, Bal.	55.00	Manning, Thos., Bal.	4.88
Brigham, Florence	31.79	*McHale, Richard	89.95
*Carloni, Er'o, Bal.	24.68	Mitchell, A'dre, Bal.	45.37
Carbone, Ces'e, Bal.	18.94	Mooradian, Sarkas	2.05
Cerutti, Joseph and Linda, Bal.	131.39	O'Brien, Heirs of James	52.36
Coyle, Heirs of Margaret, Bal.	11.75	Paul, Felix	71.06
Fantoni, Charles, Bal.	100.00	*Pendleton, Herbert and Vera, Bal.	25.08
Fenwick, Daisy M., Bal.	69.34	Pettine, Ancilcare	52.36
Firmin, George and Catherine, Bal.	22.00	Pollock, Willi'm G.	144.17
French, Cora I.	7.48	Poskett, Frank W., Bal.	26.75
Giombetti, Antonio and Mar'ta, Bal.	31.06	Ramelli, Heirs of Lazarus, Bal.	24.16
*Guinasso, Marie, Bal.	10.90	*Reardon, P. J. and Hattie, Bal.	122.47
Harris, Hart, et als., Bal.	37.56	Sarajian, Garabed, Bal.	59.80
Holmes, Hazel, Bal.	55.90	Sealey, Estate of John, Bal.	45.00
Hopkins, Arthur P. and Mattie F., Bal.	100.40	Smith, Adrienne C.	22.44
Kennison, Asa	2.62	Stevens, Grace R.	1.87
Lamson, George	18.70	Tombari, Olga	163.18
		Uhlman, Douglas	215.05
		Webster, Helen W.	141.16
		Parmenter, George D.	5.39
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			\$2,057.52

*Paid since close of books.

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,

Collector

REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1936

DR.

Warrants	\$106,019.29
Moth Tax not committed	.25
Interest	78.05
Costs	24.85
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	\$106,122.44

CR.

Paid Treasurer to Dec. 31st	\$85,775.31
Paid Treasurer to Jan. 11th	1,423.33
Uncollected	16,463.51
Uncollected	5.23
Abated	1,738.93
Tax Titles	735.13
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	\$106,141.44
Overpayments	19.00
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	\$106,122.44

UNCOLLECTED 1936 TAXES

Geldart, Clifford	\$2.00	and Augusta	63.96
*Johnson, Carl E.	2.00	Cerutti, Joseph, and	
Ramelli, Joseph	2.00	Linda	181.25
Rinaldo, Santo	2.00	Clapp, Clarissa	141.45
Fisher, Alfred R.	2.00	Collier, George	94.88
Alberini, Michael,		Coyle, Margaret,	
et als, Bal.	43.98	Heirs of	43.12
Allis, Dexter W.	10.35	Cronan, C'rolyn K.	650.64
Aselbakian, M. E.,		Cummings, Avis	93.28
and G.	183.35	Cutting, Ruby A. J.	88.22
Bailey, Harry L.		Davis, Eva B.	217.35
and Dorothy K.	179.65	Dellaville, Dante	78.49
Baldelli, Eugene		Delarda, Charles,	
and Fermina	65.55	and Louise	34.50
Barry, Anna	3.58	Delarda, Joseph,	
Bates, Mary A., Bal.	1.90	and Mary	56.93
Bavari, Mary L.	53.60	DelCastella, Isaac,	
Bean, Chester M.	50.15	and Mary, Bal.	102.66
Bertonazzi, Louis	81.21	DeMone, James A.	584.91
Bigelow, F. & M.	93.28	DeMone, Jennie L.	298.43
Blake, Charlotte T.	212.70	Derby, Warren, and	
Boland, Mathew	22.43	Florida, Bal.	136.93
Borrelli, Venanzio	110.90	Donajian, Nathan	126.42
Brigham, Flor'ce R.	29.33	Dragomani, Avad-	
Burnett, Ha'y, Bal.	191.85	azio, Bal.	53.75
Callahan, Henry J.	69.00	Dorr, Mary E., and	
Campbell, George	79.48	Carrie	.13
Carlioni, Ernesto	110.40	Dunn, Vincent B.,	
Carpenter, F. Scott		and Gladys Dunn	82.93
and Hazel	169.18	*Dunlap, Albert W.,	
Carboni, Cesare	40.54	and Margaret	55.20
Cecolini, Andrew,		Eaton, Harris D.	649.16

Ellsworth, Eunice J.,		Harris, Hart	48.30
Bal.	150.00	Harris, Hart, et als	93.40
Ellsworth, Lawrence,		Hewitt, Merton E.	460.66
Bal.	50.00	Holmes, Hazel	120.80
Estabrook, Heirs of		Hopkins, Arthur P.,	
E. L.	22.43	and Mattie F.	207.00
Fantoni, Charles	176.08	Golgatta, Venanzio	105.22
Fay, Haviland, Bal.	93.05	Graltton, Nora, Bal.	33.30
Fay, Dominic, and		Gunsolley, H. M.,	
Gelina, Bal.	21.38	and B.	198.62
Fenwick, Daisy M.	122.47	Hunt, John A., & G.	41.40
Firmin, George, and		Johnson, Ilma S.	130.72
Catherine	145.76	Kasparian, Koren D.,	
Finn, John V., Jr.,		Bal	70.53
Bal.	77.06	Kennison, Asa	2.42
Flanders, Everett L.,		Kiley, A. F., & M. E.	60.55
Bal.	24.34	Kleberg, Anna K.	89.83
Flynn, William R.,		Labarre, George	69.00
and Rita, Bal.	.75	Lane, Charles H.	98.32
Framingham Trust		Laptewicz, John, and	
Co.	155.25	Ellen, Bal.	60.00
Giambetti, Raffael,		Liberty, Frank, Bal.	2.07
and A.	61.24	Limback, Ethel	129.62
Giambetti, A. & M.	65.68	Lincoln, Howard	68.26
Galvin, Timothy J.	77.75	Lincoln, Paul	52.74
Genga, Ericoli	60.38	Lynch, James A.	291.07
Giffin, E., and C.	63.82	Manning, Mollie S.	155.50
Gray, Rhoda E.	79.35	Manning, Thomas F.	41.40
*Guinasso, Marie L.	14.66	Mansion, Frank G.	5.18
Gulbankian, Geo.	236.85	Martin, Marion E.	19.11
Harding, C. P., and		Mauro, Arthur A.	34.16
Ravena, Bal.	76.62	McCarthy, Michael	
Marlboro Coopera-		J., and Angeline	108.67
tive Bank, Bal.	1.50		

McCarthy, Thos. J.	112.12	Paul, Felix	65.68
McCarthy, Thomas, and Annie M.	6.90	Pendleton, Herbert, and Vera	78.49
McCloskey, An'ie E.	34.50	Perini, Frank	56.93
McHale, Richard	83.30	Peterson, Enoch	3.45
McHugh, Kathleen	182.42	Phillipo, Albert	1.90
McKechnie, Theresa	98.33	Pierce, Leon, and Harriet	41.53
McLeod, Heirs of Margaret	34.63	Pinkham, Wm. K.	103.81
McMonagle, Adrian	.13	Petteni, Ancilcare	48.30
Merriam, Bern'd E.	133.94	Pollock, Wm. G.	133.00
*Miller, George W., Bal.	137.00	Poskett, Frank W.	43.13
Mitchell, Andre	113.86	Quinn, Wm. G., et als	39.68
Mooney, Mary M.	139.86	Rabini, Joseph, and Josephine	31.05
Murray, Wm. H.	3.45	Rabini, Joseph	72.58
Nichols, Edward C.	10.35	Rossi, Victor	83.62
Nichols, Gladys H.	89.70	Rowe, Mae E.	327.75
Noberini, Louis, and Mena, Bal.	24.88	Ruggles, Pearl	55.20
Nordigian, Sarkes, Bal.	43.52	Ruggles, Alvah	32.09
Nordigian, Sarkes, and Bedros	7.03	Ramelli, Heirs of Lazarus	97.59
O'Brien, Heirs of James M.	48.30	Rega, E., and A.	51.75
*Offutt, Edward P., Bal.	297.42	Rice, Leona F.	69.00
O'Neil, Robert	34.63	Salmon, Rose, Heirs of	6.90
Onthank, Wm. H.	255.47	Sanborn, Addie L., and Ormon	44.13
Palmer, Wm. C., Bal.	42.23	Sangervasi, Enrico, Bal.	8.78
*Par'enter, Geo. D.	131.95	Sarajian, G.	69.13
		Schaff, H. H.	34.50

Sealey, Est. of J.	131.10	Uhlman, Douglas	16.56
Shaw, Maud S.	48.43	Vezina, Mary	63.96
Smith, A. E.	20.70	Vickers, E.	26.18
Smith, R. E., and		Voter, Har't E., Bal.	16.71
D. K.	77.88	Warwick, Ed'd W.	182.36
Stevens, Grace R.	1.73	Wakeling, Mary,	
St. Maurice, Theo-		Bal.	50.18
philda, Bal.	145.59	Watkins, John,	
Stone, Ardell, Bal.	.13	Heirs of	105.48
Sullivan, John F.	72.58	Webster, Helen W.	189.88
Tebaldi, T., and A.,		Webster, Arthur G.	3.45
Bal.	100.00	Wilson, Florence M.,	
Thoits, John H.	39.68	Bal.	17.44
Thurber, H., and F.	41.74	Young, H. W.	550.52
Tierney, Heirs of E.	27.60	Zochie, Louis, and	
Tomasetti, G., and S.	42.26	Celia	117.30
Tombari, Olga	196.65		
Trioli, John J.	151.80		\$16,463.51
Uhlman, Florence	198.38		

*Paid since close of books.

UNCOLLECTED WATER LIENS

Clara Tude	\$24.00	Robert O'Neil	18.00
Adrian McMonagle	39.00		
			<u>\$81.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE F. McDONALD,
Collector

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS FOR THE YEAR 1936

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of
Southborough:

Gentlemen:

We herewith submit our report for the year 1936. For the record of receipts and disbursements, please see Report of the Town Auditor and Accountant.

Very early in the year the town met with a serious loss in the death of Mr. Edward C. Chase, a thoroughly efficient and conscientious worker in his department. Your Board was thereupon called upon to make a decision regarding the employment of labor, there being many personal applications for work by citizens of the town. This decision was met by the appointment of a "Working Superintendent" with power (with the assistance and recommendation of the Board), to name his own assistants.

Mr. Walter M. Offutt was secured for this position; and the attractive and satisfactory condition of the cemetery has convinced us that our choice was well made.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. RAMSDELL, Chairman
CHARLES H. LANE,
PATRICK J. O'REILLY,
Cemetery Commissioners

CEMETERY LOTS UNPAID DECEMBER 31, 1936

Estate of Maria Eggleston	\$5.00
Ernest Benjamin	5.00
Eva C. Harris	60.00
Charles G. Wiles	30.00
Robert W. Sealey	30.00
Catherine C. Watkins	20.00
Richard M. McHale	30.00
Edmund L. Kelley (Balance)	40.00
Louis Gralton (Balance)	10.00
James Gralton	20.00
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	\$250.00

CEMETERY ACCOUNTS UNCOLLECTED, DEC. 31, 1936

Non Trust Fund Accounts										
Sec.	Lot	Name	1936	1935	1934	1933	1932	1931	1930	Total
1	29	Walker							2.00	2.00
2	47	Collins	3.00	2.00	2.00					7.00
2	8	Flagg	3.00							3.00
3-4-10	22-24-10	Estey, Collins,								
		Estey	8.00							8.00
5*	5	Fay	3.00							3.00
5*	4	Parker	3.00							3.00
6	32	Bigelow &								
		Noyes	3.00							3.00
6	27	Wilson	3.00							3.00
6	11	Flint	3.00							3.00
7	27	Light	3.00	2.00	2.00					7.00
7	12	Dunn	3.00	2.00						5.00
7	7	Whitney	3.00							3.00
8	36	Horne	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00			11.00
8	26	Harris	3.00							3.00
8	25	Stackpole					2.00			2.00
8	21	Kinder					2.00			2.00

8	1	Crowell							2.00	2.00
8	B	Sawin	3.00							3.00
9	10-12	Day	5.00	3.00						8.00
9	6	Wheeler	3.00	2.00						5.00
10	11	Randall	3.00							3.00
10	7	Onth'k, S'die J.	3.00							3.00
11	1/2-67	Hos'er, Irv'g S.	1.50							1.50
11	63	Knudson	3.00							3.00
11	55	Johnson	3.00							3.00
11	1/2-31	Brigham		5.00						5.00
11	1/2-18	Waite (Dec'd)	1.50							1.50
11	7	Byard	3.00							3.00
11	4	Cain	3.00							3.00
12	57	Hinchliffe	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	13.00
12	52	Grey, R. E.	3.00	2.00						5.00
12	50	Telfer	3.00							3.00
12	45	Grey, C. C.	3.00	2.00						5.00
12	43	Bre'r, W'ter B.	3.00	2.00	2.00					7.00
12	38	Robbins	3.00	2.00						5.00
12	33	Berry & McDonald	3.00							3.00
12	26	Genga	3.00							3.00

12	23	Delarda	3.00							3.00
12	22	Bertonazzi	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00				9.00
12	1½-18	Bina	1.50	1.00	1.00					3.50
12	1½-16	Otenti	1.50	1.00						2.50
12	15	Renzi	3.00	2.00						5.00
12	7	Mallay	3.00							3.00
12	6	Daughan	3.00							3.00
12	4	Salmon, J. A.		8.00						8.00
12	2	McIntyre	3.00							3.00
13	58	Webster	3.00	2.00						5.00
13	43	McHale	3.00							3.00
13	41	Hunt	3.00							3.00
13	38	Lane	3.00							3.00
13	35	Harris	3.00							3.00
13	34	Beck	3.00	2.00						5.00
13	33	French	3.00	2.00						5.00
13	30	Howes	3.00	2.00						5.00
13	26	Quinn	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00		13.00
13	1½-25	Kelly & Brill	1.50	1.00	1.00	1.00				4.50
13	1½-25	Genare	1.50	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	7.50
13	22	Fuller	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00				9.00
13	1½-17	Coyne	1.50	1.00						2.50

13	16	Ramelli	3.00	2.00	2.00					7.00
13	12	Berri		2.00						2.00
13	11	Guinasso	3.00							3.00
13	5	McGuire	3.00							3.00
13	4	Gebhart	3.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00		13.00
13	2	Kelley, D. F.	3.00							3.00
15*	27	Wyckstrom	3.00							3.00
15	19	Castagnetti	3.00							3.00
15	11	Fitzgerald	3.00							3.00
15	1	Hutt	3.00							3.00
Totals			182.50	63.00	23.00	14.00	15.00	7.00	3.00	307.50

*Paid after closing of Books, Dec. 31, 1936.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

Herewith is presented the seventh annual report of the Water Commissioners for the year 1936.

Maintenance and Operation

Maintenance and operation has consisted of routine flushing of dead ends, weekly inspection of standpipes and quarterly reading of meters. There have been frequent meetings of the Commissioners throughout the year for the carrying on of departmental affairs and conferences with the Superintendent. A petition signed by a number of citizens for a reduction of water rates, was received. The Board would call attention of the citizens to Section 11, Chapter 133, of the Acts of 1930—"The income of the water works shall be appropriated to defray all operating expenses, interest charges and payments on the principal as they accrue upon any bonds or notes issued for water supply purposes. If there should be a net surplus remaining after providing for the aforesaid charges, it may be appropriated for such new construction as said commissioners may recommend, and in case a surplus should remain after payment for such new construction the water rates shall be reduced proportionately."

Consumption of Water

The total amount pumped for the year was 27,773,869 gallons, an increase of 1,466,869 gallons over last year.

Month	Total gals. pumped	Average per day
January	1,869,000	69,222
February	2,099,039	83,961
March	2,513,000	96,653
April	2,283,700	87,842
May	2,624,800	100,918
June	1,470,200	56,546
July	1,544,700	57,211
August	2,978,700	114,565
September	1,493,600	57,446
October	2,763,500	102,388
November	3,144,130	125,765
December	2,989,500	110,714

27,773,869

The Town Departments, such as Street, Fire and Moth, used about 1,375,000 gallons.

The Choate playground used 30,000 gallons.

The three school buildings, Fayville Hall, Fire Station, Town Hall and Cemetery used 500,015 gallons.

Services

There were thirteen services installed as follows:

St. Anne's Church, Boston Road

Mark Corwin, Southville Road

Clement Bonin, Highland Road

South Middlesex Bank, Latisquama Road
 Mary Dorr, Southville Road
 Patrick O'Brien, Southville Road
 Charles H. Lane, Cordaville Road
 Merton E. Hewitt, Marlboro Road
 Deerfoot Farm, Turnpike Road
 Deerfoot Farm, Lyman Street
 Howard Goff, Woodland Road
 Antonio Bartolini, Break Neck Hill Road
 George Gulbankian, Cordaville Road

Pipe Lines

The curb cock at the Federated Church was repaired. The 2" main pipe on White Bagley Road froze during the month of January and was thawed by use of an electric thawer.

Two gate valves, one near the Clear Hill tank and one on Flagg Road, had to be repaired.

The services on the Turnpike Road have been measured and entered on the chart for the system.

The curb cock boxes on the Turnpike had to be raised for the new sidewalk which the state installed.

Hydrants

The hydrants, as in the past, have been flushed about once each month. They were also painted this year.

The hydrant at Oak Hill Road and Turnpike Road was struck by an automobile in September and the necessary repairs were paid by the insurance company.

Truck

An operating cost sheet has been kept of the truck.

During the year it was found necessary to install a new motor.

Pumping Station

The chlorine room and boiler room has been painted during the year.

The power line has been changed so that the meters are on the inside wall of the pumping station. In this way the Water Department does not take the transformer loss as in the past.

The log at the station has been kept during the year as in the past, showing the amount of water pumped, the pressure, the amount of chlorine used and the supplies received.

Standpipes

The Fayville tank was drained and cleaned during the summer and a 2" blowoff installed so that the tank can be drained without shutting off a large number of water users.

The tank in Southville has been painted with two coats of red lead on the inside and two coats of aluminum on the outside.

The shop was entered during the summer and tools amounting to \$99.33 were taken and replaced by insurance.

The Water Department, as in the past, has taken labor from the Welfare Department, or labor recommended by the Welfare Board. This practice of taking this labor has supplied work to men who would otherwise be unemployed part of the time. The Water Department has supplied about 1200 hours' labor.

During the year the Commissioners obtained a substantial reduction in the rate for power from the Marlboro Electric Company.

Revenue

Income from Water Rates	\$8,560.20
Income from Water Services	794.90
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	\$9,355.10
Expenditures	6,570.73
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Surplus above operating costs	\$2,784.37

REPORT OF COLLECTOR FOR THE WATER DEPARTMENT

WATER SERVICES

DR.

Uncollected Balance, January 1, 1936	\$426.08
Warrants in 1936	740.54
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	\$1,166.62

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$794.90
Abated	59.91
Uncollected	311.81
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	\$1,166.62

UNPAID WATER SERVICES

Joseph Taylor	\$4.93	H. H. Flanders	41.65
Charlotte McMaster	23.09	Colastra Phillipo	17.50
Daisy M. Fenwick	32.43	Adrian McMonagle	15.43
Robert Howes	13.69	Annie Boutillier	16.27
Garabed Sarajian	12.82	Henry Mitchell	5.45
*Harriet E. Voter	7.29	Margaret Harriman	29.90
John Watkins	28.93	Rex Beverage	9.34
Howard S. Hunt	14.85	Wm. Collins	5.09
Mary A. Nichols	25.50		
Fred Tombari	7.65		<hr/>
			\$311.81

*Paid since close of books.

WATER RATES

DR.

Uncollected Balance, January 1, 1936	\$520.30
Warrants in 1936	8,927.66
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	\$9,447.96

CR.

Paid Treasurer	\$8,560.20
Abated	91.20
Liens Transferred	99.00
Uncollected, December 31, 1936	697.56
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	\$9,447.96

UNPAID WATER RATES, DECEMBER 31, 1936

Margaret McLeod	\$24.00	Gertrude I. Goff	6.00
Anna M. Labarre	6.00	George Firmin	6.00
*Helen F. Donohue	6.00	*Charles Mauro	6.00
Thomas Armstrong	6.00	Marion A. Martin	6.00
*Leona F. Rice	6.00	Marie Guinasso	15.00
Theresa McKechnie	4.41	V. Castignetti	19.00
*Southboro Gre'ses	36.99	Mary A. Nichols	72.00
*John Mahoney	4.00	Rhoda E. Gray	6.00
James E. Giffen	6.00	*Herbert Pendleton	9.00
*Elizabeth Daughan	6.00	Charles Delarda	6.00
*Chas. E. O'Connell	6.00	Frederick Tombari	12.00
*Town of Southboro	6.00	Frederick Tombari	36.00
*Avadazio Drago'ani	6.00	*Ericoli Genga	6.00
Felix J. Paul	15.00	Augustus E. Wright	12.00
William G. Quinn	6.00	*Geo. Parmenter	12.00
Avis Cummings	6.00	Alice L. Woodward	6.00
H. L. Gilman	23.00	Louis Noberini	12.00

*Fred G. Slawson	10.00	*Leon and Harriett	
George Campbell	12.00	Pierce	18.00
Ravena Harding	6.00	Harry Seaton	1.00
Colastra Phillipo	24.00	Est. of D. C. Nichols	4.00
Francis Salmon	11.00	F. Scott Carpenter	6.00
Heirs of Margaret		William R. Flynn	12.00
Coyle	12.00	Charles Fantony	6.00
Mathew L. Ring	18.00	*Charles R. Mills	6.00
George Miller	6.00	Anna Wykstrom	12.00
Art'r G. Webster, Jr.	6.00	William Collins	6.00
Art'r G. Webster, Jr.	6.00	Fayville Baptist	
Edward C. Nichols	6.16	Church	3.00
Thomas Manning	28.00	Chester M. Bean	6.00
Margaret B. Harri-		South Middlesex B'k	2.00
man	22.00		
*Diekran Tahmajian	6.00		
*Joseph Cerutti	22.00		
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			\$697.56

*Paid since close of books.

ANNUAL MEETING, MARCH 9, 1936

Article 1. Chose Raymond H. Oveson as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to accept the reports of the various town officers and committees as printed in the annual town report.

The report of the Committee on By-laws was made by Charles M. Proctor and it was voted that that committee be requested to submit a full report at a special town meeting to be called not later than June 15, 1936, for further action on same.

Article 3. Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts:

Selectmen	\$605.00
Legal Expense	600.00
Accountant	555.00
Treasurer	770.00
Collector	945.00
Town Clerk	440.00
Election and Registration	695.00
Assessors	1,050.00
Town Hall	1,155.00
Police	2,240.00
Fire Dept.	875.00
Fire Dept., Salaries	1,775.00
Forest Fires	495.00
Hydrant Snow	50.00

Tree Warden	910.00
Moth	750.00
Sealer of W. and M.	195.00
Board of Health	1,285.00
Inspection of Animals	125.00
Highways, Chap. 81	6,900.00
Highways, Chap. 90	1,000.00
Equip. and Maint.	1,800.00
Snow	1,400.00
Special Maint.	250.00
Street Lights	3,973.23
Water Maint.	5,300.00
Public Welfare	5,000.00
Mothers' Aid	1,500.00
Old Age	5,500.00
Soldiers' Relief	1,440.00
Schools	43,850.00
Libraries	1,340.00
Trade Schools	400.00
Reserve Fund	3,000.00
Fayville Hall	580.00
Common and Town House Grounds	225.00
Town Reports	485.00
Coasting	10.00
Swimming Pool	150.00
Liability Insurance	950.00
General Insurance	1,144.49
Cemetery	2,660.00
Int. on Debt	12,756.13
Debt Retirement	15,900.00
Worcester County Hospital	5,292.61

Article 4. Voted that the Town Treasurer be and hereby is authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws as amended.

Article 5. Voted that the Article be dismissed. (Appropriation of unexpended balances.)

Article 6. Voted that the Board of Assessors be and hereby is authorized, with the approval of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, to use from free cash in the Town Treasury, a sum not to exceed twelve thousand dollars for the purpose of reducing the amount to be raised and assessed as taxes in 1936.

Article 7. Voted that the sum of \$629.11 received from the County from 1935 dog licenses be appropriated for the use of the Library Department in addition to the amount recommended and provided under Article 3.

Article 8. Voted that the Town, through its Treasurer, accept contributions from Saint Mark's School and Fay School and that such amounts be placed in the treasury to the credit of the general cash account.

Article 9. Voted that the sum of one hundred dollars be raised and appropriated to be expended by

Leo L. Bagley Post 161 of the American Legion, for decoration of Soldiers' graves and Memorial Day exercises.

Article 10. Voted that the sum of one thousand dollars be raised and appropriated to be used for the purchase of materials for use in conjunction with any Federal or State projects for which funds are made available under present or future legislation for the purpose of reducing welfare costs, and aiding towns in providing employment, said amount appropriated to be allotted by the Board of Selectmen to town Departments or Officers for this purpose.

Article 11. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,292.61 to pay the assessment of the County Commissioners in connection with the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital District, including \$3000, for construction, \$1547.87 for maintenance, and \$744.74, for interest on bonds.

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500. for work to be done on private driveways and removal of snow therefrom.

Article 13. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000. for the improvement of Oak Hill Road, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

Article 14. Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$600. for the improvement of Chapter 90 roads, said sum or any part thereof to be used

with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose.

Article 15. Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of the sale, by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town, fourteen days, at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure, the Selectmen being given full authority to reject any bid which they deem inadequate.

Article 16. Voted to dismiss the article. (Term of Tax Collector).

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for the use of the Planning Board.

Article 18. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for the use of the Tree Warden for private work.

Article 19. Voted to dismiss the article. (Adoption of By-law for regulation bill-boards.)

Article 20. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300. to cover the expense of printing and distributing the Assessors' valuation book.

Article 21. Voted to dismiss the article. (Water service extension.)

Article 22. Voted to dismiss the article. (Rebuilding Marboro Road.)

Article 23. Voted to dismiss the article. (Water service extension.)

Article 24. Voted to dismiss the article. (Advertising the merits of the town.)

Article 25. Voted to dismiss the article. (Appropriation for wading pools.)

Voted that the meeting be dissolved.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JUNE 15, 1936

Article 1. Chose Raymond H. Oveson as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted to establish a Road Machinery Account to which shall be credited all receipts received for the use or rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the town for road machinery purposes. ✓

Article 3. Voted that the town appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars to establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating the road machinery of the town, and to meet this appropriation the sum of five hundred dollars, (\$500.) be transferred from the Highway Equipment and Maintenance Fund.

Article 4. Voted that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to purchase a truck by competitive bids, for the use of the Highway Department, not to exceed the sum of \$7,600. and to meet this appropriation the sum of \$7,600. is hereby transferred from Excess and Deficiency.

Article 5. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of the Walters Truck now used by the Highway Department, for the best interests of the town.

Article 6. Voted that the town shall accept the provisions of Chapter 39, Section 23, General Laws, (Ter. Cent. Ed.) relating to the election of town officers.

Article 7. Voted to accept the Report of the Committee on By-laws, and to adopt the list of By-laws as recommended and voted by this meeting.

Article 8. Voted to pass the article. (Extension of Water Service.)

Article 9. Voted to pass the article. (Extension of Water Service.)

Article 10. Voted to pass the article. (Extension of Water Service.)

Voted that the meeting be dissolved.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1936

Births registered, males	14
Births registered, females	9
Marriages recorded	16
Deaths recorded, males	6
Deaths recorded, females	13
Dogs licensed, males and Sp. females	203
Dogs licensed, females	55
Kennel licenses	2
Paid Town Treasurer	\$729.00
License fees	\$52.00
Sporting Licenses issued	114
Paid Dept. of Conservation	\$173.25
License fees	28.75
Marriage intention fees	32.00
Birth Certificate fees	2.00
Recording Mortgages	22.75
Vital Statistics	45.50

BIRTHS

- 21
- Jan. 16. Smiddy, Earl Raymond, Jr., son of Earl R.,
and Agnes E. Lally.
- Feb. 27. Labarre, George Alfred, son of George, and
Anna Lacombe.
- Mar. 9. Briggs, Barbara Ann, daughter of Richard
A., and Grace C. Sweet.
- Apr. 4. Cummings, Mary Lillian, daughter of Joseph,
and Avis H. Marshall.
- Apr. 20. Cicolini, Albert, son of Andrew, and Au-
gusta Pedinotti.
- Apr. 28. Park, Nancy Louise, daughter of William
and Beatrice Miller.
- May 2. Maley, Paul, son of John H., and Elizabeth
Byrne.
- May 8. Haskins, Robert, son of Basil, and Marion
Pollock.
- June 10. Johnson, Charles William, son of Sereno W.,
and Doris Drake.
- July 15. Holland, Cynthia Joan, daughter of John A.,
and Claire E. Rourke.

- July 23. Corwin, Albert Carl, son of Mark C., and Esther Humphrey.
- Aug. 7. Bushman, Thomas Little, son of Victor C., and Esther Little.
- Aug. 10. Gulbankian, Antranig, son of George, and Eva Meridian.
- Aug. 25. Jackson, Roland William, son of Joseph Morrison, and Stella Mary Hull.
- Sept. 20. Minucci, ———, son of Ignatius, and Antonietta Giove.
- Oct. 2. Dando, Eleanor Cristina, daughter of Thomas J., and Eleanor Ekberg.
- Oct. 8. Daughan, James Hannon, son of James, and Marguerite Gobeille.
- Oct. 19. Maguire, Leo, son of Benedict, and Katherine Carey.
- Oct. 19. Moore, Patricia Anne, daughter of Harry W., and Harriet R. Hathaway.
- Oct. 22. Malcolm, Betty Ann, daughter of James, and Ella Pendleton.
- Nov. 9. Connor, Carol Ann, daughter of John, and Marion Walkins.

MARRIAGES

- Feb. 24. Joseph M. Monfalcone to Gena Baldelli.
- Mar. 20. Forrest J. Bussell to Elizabeth LeGay.
- Mar. 28. Joel F. Packard to Ruth Lucille Ulman.
- June 1. Frederic Bertie Chadwick to Anita Augusta Wilde.
- July 3. Joseph Walter Vickers to Gabrielle St. Pierre.
- July 6. Henry George Stevens to Esther Winifred Misener.
- July 28. Sheldon Sherman to Stephanie Docwra.
- Aug. 4. Wallace Jutten Drown to Olive May Frank.
- Aug. 22. Louis N. Pacific to Gemma Ann Perini.
- Aug. 31. George Leo Harpin to Kathleen R. Werner.
- Sept. 7. Benedict Maguire to Catherine M. Carey.
- Oct. 15. Howard E. Goff, Jr., to Phyllis Bertha Moore.
- Oct. 24. Frank John Peccinatti to Eleanore Elizabeth Golgata.
- Nov. 11. Thomas Porter O'Brien to Emma Mary Trioli.
- Nov. 15. James W. Hurley to Mary Margaret Giblin.
- Nov. 26. Henry Joseph Delarda to Louise Tansey.

DEATHS

Feb. 9. Peter Rossi, 66 years.

Feb. 24. Melissa F. Wales, 87 years, 6 months.

Mar. 4. Mary D. Bouley O'Neil, 77 years, 9 months,
25 days.

Mar. 9. Charles Zocchi, 19 years.

Mar. 16. Charlotte Varey, 77 years, 4 months.

Mar. 20. Edward Ellsworth Chase, 70 years, 20 days.

Apr. 12. Anna Maria Santella, 72 years, 8 months.

Apr. 22. Sarah A. Eastman, 73 years, 3 months, 16
days.

May 7. Gertrude I. Everett, 44 years, 5 months.

June 7. Mary T. Brock, 76 years, 5 months, 21 days.

Aug. 4. Eveline (Whitebeck) Morey, 72 years, 2
months, 26 days.

Aug. 7. Francis Liberty, 87 years.

Aug. 9. Johanna (Brenn) Maley, 69 years.

Aug. 30. Richard J. Alberini, 2 years, 6 months, 12 days.

Sept. 15. Esther M. McColligan (Nee Healey), 76 years.

Sept. 19. Nora Gralton (Nee Golden), 52 years.

Dec. 4. H. Louise Sundberg, 57 years, 9 months, 19 days.

LIST OF JURORS, AUGUST 1, 1936

Clarence E. Baker	Mechanic	Newton St.
Donald Blood	Truck Driver	Parkerville Rd.
Walter B. Brewer	Farmer	Boston Road
Edward N. Campbell	Fill'g St. Mgr.	Central Street
Thomas F. Connors	Wood Worker	Boston Road
Allen H. Draper	Contractor	Main Street
James E. Donahue	Tel. Mechanic	Boston Road
Harris D. Eaton	Farmer	Flagg Road
Philip Harding	Carpenter	Winter Street
Richard G. Harwood	Insurance	Cordaville Rd.
John H. Maley	Steward	Winchester St.
Sylvester Hosmer	Clerk	Boston Road
Thomas A. McCarthy	Mason	Newton Street
Howard McCausland	Retired	Oak Hill Road
Walter M. Offutt	Laborer	Main Street
Herbert Pendleton	Carpenter	Winter Street
Joseph W. Pinkham	Farmer	Richards Road
Alton B. Spurr	Garage Prop.	Lyman Street
Augustus E. Wright	Retired	Oak Hill Road
Harold Stivers	Office Clerk	Middle Road
James F. Telfer	Laborer	E. Main Street

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Gasolene Pumps sealed	26
Gasolene Pumps stops sealed	15
Kerosene Pumps sealed	6
Oil Pumps sealed	10
Liquid Measures sealed	39
Scales adjusted and sealed	55
Weights adjusted and sealed	86
Fees paid Treasurer	\$34.94

Inventory of State Standards:

One office scale.

One brass yard measure.

Weights: 1, 3, 4, 5, 10, 25, 50 lbs.

1 1/16, 1/8, 1/4, 1/2, 1, 2, 4 and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures, 1 gill, 1/2 pt., 1 pint, 1, 2 and 4 qts.

Working equipment:

Sealer's balance.

Twenty 50-lb. weights.

Weights: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 25 lbs.

1/16, 1/8, 1/4, 1/2, 1, 2, 4, and 8 oz.

Dry measures: 1, 2, 4, 8, and 16 qts.

Liquid measures: 1 4-qt., 1 gallon and 5-gallon

One safe

Two seals

One drill

Two glass graduates

CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen have, during the year, held twenty-four regular meetings on the first and third Fridays of each month. In addition, nine special meetings were held together with many conferences by telephone and otherwise in conduct of the routine and special affairs of business of the Town. At a Special Town Meeting, held June 15, 1936, the Selectmen were authorized to purchase for the Town, a new truck for the Highway Department. Bids were asked for and submitted and after many conferences, it was finally decided to purchase an "Auto-Car" four wheel drive truck. At that same meeting the Town adopted the Revised By-Laws as submitted by a Special committee previously appointed for that purpose. These By-Laws have received the approval of the Attorney General as required by statute and are now in force.

Law

Because of the many questions of law that confronted the Selectmen at the beginning of the year, it was agreed by them that the employment of a Town Counsel would prevent mistakes being made in matters pertaining to contracts, issuance of writs, licenses and other questions in regard to legal affairs which frequently arise during the transaction of Town business. On May 15, 1936, the Selectmen appointed Judge Edward T. Simoneau of Marlboro to act in that capacity.

The Board feels that the Town is particularly fortunate in securing the services of so eminent a jurist and one recognized as an authority on Municipal Law; to act as the Town Counsel for Southborough.

Highway

The Selectmen are of the opinion that the highways of our Town are second to none in the State. There are approximately forty-six miles of highway in the Town, forty-two of which are hard surface highways. There remain only four miles of dirt road in the town. Within two years it is proposed to eliminate these so that in 1939 all the highways of the Town will be entirely of hard surface.

At the time of the first appointment of the Superintendent, in 1926, there were practically no hard surface roads in Town. His has been a loyal and faithful service and the Selectmen take this opportunity to express to him the appreciation of people of the Town for his excellent administration of the Highway Department during the past eleven years.

New Construction

Of Chapter 90 work, approximately one-half mile of construction was completed on Oak Hill Road in a northerly direction from the Ashland Town line. This construction cost \$5,250.00 of which \$2,250.00 was paid by the Commonwealth; \$2,000.00 by the County; and \$1,000.00 by the Town. A similar extension to this construction is contemplated for the year 1937, an appropriation of \$1,000.00 being asked for by an article in the warrant to be added to funds donated by the County and State.

Of Chapter 81, the sum of \$6,900.00 has been allocated to the Town for the coming year by the State Highway Department, subject to approval by the State Legislature. This is an amount similar to last year and must be met by an equal appropriation from the Town.

Street Lights

During the years 1934 and 1935, over one hundred street lights were ordered removed by a vote of the Town, resulting in a saving of over \$1,500.00 annually.

In the process of elimination it was found that some of the lights removed would have to be replaced because of elements of danger, particularly to pedestrians, which at first had not been apparent. So far as it is known, the congested residential sections of the several villages of the Town are now adequately lighted.

The number of lights now contracted for with the Marlboro Electric Company is as follows:

254 40-candle power lights at \$14.88 each,	
per year	\$3,779.52
1 250-candle power light at \$30.00 each,	
per year	30.00
1 600-candle power light at \$66.90 each,	
per year	66.90
1 50-watt traffic beacon at \$30.00 each,	
per year	30.00
Total annual expenditure	<hr/> \$3,906.42

LICENSES

The total fees collected for licenses of various kinds during the year, payable in advance, amounted to \$916.50 and were issued as follows:

Liquor

A. Baldini	\$100.00	
Alexander Gion	125.00	
Raffaele Giombetti	125.00	
Henry Mitchell	125.00	
C. D. Washburn (June to Jan., 1936)	100.00	
C. D. Washburn	125.00	
Wm. E. Wentworth	125.00	
Marlboro Driving Club	15.00	
Geo. Gulbankian	10.00	\$850.00

Victualler

Alexander Gion	3.00	
Raffaele Giombetti	3.00	
Henry Mitchell	3.00	
C. D. Washburn	6.00	
Wm. E. Wentworth	3.00	18.00

Garage

James A. DeMone	20.00	
Alton B. Spurr	10.00	
Cameron Bradley	3.00	33.00

Gasolene (Renewals)

Frank Charnley	.50	
Jos. Breck	.50	
J. A. DeMone	.50	
Walter A. Hutt	1.00	
M. Fantony	.50	
M. DelCastello	.50	
T. F. Fitzgerald	.50	
A. J. Webster	.50	
Wm. E. Wentworth	.50	
Alton B. Spurr	.50	5.50
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		\$906.50

Junk Dealer

L. Goldberg	5.00	
J. Sugarman	5.00	10.00
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		\$916.50

W.P.A.

Work on projects credited to W.P.A. have been completed as follows: Straightening, widening, removing ledge, boulders, and filling in with gravel on Edgewood Road, Gilman Road, Richards Road and Northboro Road. On the Farm to Market Roads, sponsored by Federal appropriation, there are incomplete projects on Chestnut Hill Road and Mill Street.

New Projects

A new project for work in and about Rural Cemetery has been accepted by the Government, but was held up for a considerable length of time, because

funds were not forthcoming from the Federal Government at Washington. The project is now under way and will, in all probability, be completed before the time at which town meeting is held. Another project already submitted is for the elimination of the Highway Bridge on Cordaville Road, over the land formerly occupied by the Boston and Worcester Street Railway.

From observation and information received from Federal Government sources there is continual intimation that all Federal grants for relief will gradually be withdrawn and that the further responsibility for such projects must be that of the local community.

Public Safety

Highway accidents are as acute in Southborough as elsewhere in the State. The Chairman of the Selectmen, in tabulating the motor accidents that have occurred in Southborough since 1930, notates that there have been 193 reported accidents, in which 4 persons were killed and 265 injured. There is no way of determining the property damage involved in these accidents. The most dangerous areas are at Fayville, the cut off at Lamb Hill, Stone's Corner, and at the junction of Marlboro Road and Main Street. A survey of the causes of the accidents herein given indicates that excessive speed is undoubtedly responsible for the motor accidents which occur at these places. It is hoped that with this information our citizens will bear in mind these dangerous areas and act accordingly when travelling in their vicinity.

The Town was publicised in November by the robbery committed on the estate of Mr. William J. Ken-

nedy, on Lovers Lane. The State Police taking immediate control of the situation asked for the cooperation and assistance of the Town Police Officer, who devoted several days with Special Officer Edward J. McCarthy of the State Police, in charge of the case. It is gratifying to the citizens of this Town to know that a satisfactory termination of this crime is in sight.

The Fire Department, too, demonstrated its efficiency at the time of the destruction of St. Anne's Catholic Church. Our Fire Chief, appreciating the danger to surrounding property, summoned aid from Marlboro and Framingham, thus preventing a greater loss to surrounding property. The Selectmen made proper acknowledgment in a letter of appreciation and thanks to both the Fire Chiefs of the Marlboro and Framingham Departments for their prompt and efficient assistance.

Soldiers' Relief

During the past year there has been a marked increase in the demands upon the Selectmen for Soldiers' Relief. For information it might be stated that the Selectmen are compelled by statute to afford relief to any veteran or his family if in need and to aid them in their distress. In case there is any disagreement regarding the amount to be dispensed to the recipient, he may appeal to the State Commissioner of State Aid and Pensions, who is the final arbiter in the matter. There was spent this year for that purpose, the sum of \$1,603.00. Next year the Board is compelled to ask for \$1,700.00 to meet contingent cases now under its care.

Advisory Committee

This report would not be complete without some comment in regard to the activities of the Advisory Committee. Criticism or at least scant praise, is usually the lot afforded to any Town Finance Board. The Selectmen of Southborough, however, take this opportunity to thank the Advisory Committee for the many hours which they have devoted to the study of the financial problems and the economic welfare of the Town. It was only by the efforts of this committee, their advice and suggestions to the heads of the Town Departments, coupled with their cooperation, that the tax rate has been kept within reasonable limits.

CHARLES M. PROCTOR,
GEORGE H. BURNETT,
ALTON B. SPURR,
Selectmen of Southborough

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1936

Board of Selectmen,
Gentlemen:

We herewith submit a recapitulation of figures in connection with our work for the year 1936.

We have to the best of our ability carried out the duties of the office. Many reports have been furnished the State and County departments, which have met with their approval. Owing to the many changes of dates in lists required by the Town Clerk, we have in several instances been somewhat late. Your attention is called to our change in Men's and Women's lists, for many years these have been printed in large numbers at a cost of Ninety dollars (\$90.00). This year they were typed at a cost of Five dollars (\$5.00). While our attempt may have not been quite satisfactory, we feel sure that for the coming year, they will meet with the approval of all concerned with much saving to the town.

Our work has been inspected by the supervisor, from Mr. Long's office, who has checked our figures and all papers relating to the work.

The so-called Machinery Tax law, which became effective January 1, 1936, effects us only insofar as the Deerfoot Farm Company is concerned. Their tax

to the town on Machinery has been abated and the Treasurer will receive a check from the state for reimbursement.

To determine the fair cash value of property during the last few years, has been a problem for all assessors. However, with all the facts which had a tendency to lower values we cannot discount the effect Town water and good roads have had to keep the value of this town where it should be.

One thing which we are much concerned about and which all tax payers should take into consideration, when making appropriations, is the great increase during the last few years of abatements and exemptions. This is due partly to the depression and in part to new laws under which the tax payer is exempt.

So that each person will have a better understanding, the following are the most important clauses under which they are granted.

Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 17, (in part) :

Seventeenth, Property, to the amount of two thousand dollars, of widow, of a person above the age of seventy-five or of any minor whose father is deceased, who are legal residents of the commonwealth, whether such property be owned by such persons separately, or jointly, or as tenants in common; provided, that the whole estate, real and personal, of such person does not exceed in value the sum of two thousand dollars.

Chapter 59, Section 5, Clause 18:

Eighteenth, The polls and any portion of the estates of persons who by reason of age, infirmity and pov-

erty are in the judgment of the assessors unable to contribute fully toward the public charges.

All applications presented to us, have been acted upon in good faith, and our decisions have been to the best of our ability.

Approximately property to the value of \$70,000 has been acted upon under the preceding clauses.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. CLARK,
THOMAS P. FEATHERSTONE,
HERBERT E. BANFILL,

Board of Assessors

ABATEMENTS

Abatements, 1936, Real Estate Tax	\$803.18
Abatements, 1935, Real Estate Tax	120.62
Abatements, 1934, Real Estate Tax	2.38
Abatements, 1936, Poll Tax	58.00
Abatements, 1936, Machinery Tax	879.75
Abatements, 1936, Excise Tax	206.75
Abatements, 1935, Excise Tax	14.75
Abatements, 1935, Personal Tax	9.54
Abatements, 1934, Personal Tax	14.62

1936 RECAPITULATION

To be raised by taxation	\$135,768.94
State Tax	5,400.00
Parks and Res.	51.60
County Tax	5,697.00
Tuberculosis Hospital	5,292.61
Overlay (of current year)	2,826.27
Total	\$155,036.42

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax	\$6,882.23
Corporation Taxes	1,153.38
Race Track Distribution	216.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	3,800.00
Licenses	620.00
Fines	200.00
Grants and Gifts	4,520.00
Special Assessments	162.94
General Government	125.00
Protection of Persons and Property	100.00
Health and Sanitation	260.00
Highways	500.00
Charities	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00
Schools	1,200.00
Libraries	27.00
Public Service Enterprises (Water Department)	9,000.00
Cemeteries (other than from trust funds and sale of lots)	1,650.00
Interest on Deposits	300.00
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	1,000.00
Metropolitan, in lieu of taxes	3,531.07
Unclassified	35.00
Total Estimated Receipts	<hr/> \$37,282.62
Available funds voted by town meeting, April 24, 1936	12,000.00
Total Deductions	<hr/> 49,282.62
Net amount raised by taxation on polls and property	<hr/> \$105,753.80

Number of polls, 654 at \$2.00 each	\$1,308.00
Total valuation \$3,027,813, Tax rate	
\$34.50, Property tax	104,459.80
December Assessments	112.12
Moth Tax	139.37

Total amount of all taxes listed in the collector's commitment list for the year 1936	\$106,019.29
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REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

Owing to the flood, last March, the Highway Department has put in 100 ft. 12-in. reinforced concrete pipe, 144 ft. 12-in. metal corrugated coated pipe, 30 ft. 18-in. metal corrugated coated pipe, 66 ft. 30-in. metal corrugated coated pipe.

It has also put out 9,931 yds. gravel, 1,220 yds. sand and about 56,000 gals. 65% oil, 1,200 gals. 85% oil, 8,000 gals. tar, cut brush, grass and general cleaning of streets.

On Oak Hill Road, under Chapter 90, the Highway Department built 2,100 ft. of gravel base with a mix-in-place-top, the first of its kind to be built in this town. I would like to recommend that this kind of road be continued to Boston Road.

Work done with W.P.A. labor:

Gilmore Road, 1,000 ft. widened and gravelled.

Richards Road, 2,500 ft. widened and gravelled.

Northboro Road, 4 bad curves widened and gravelled.

Pine Hill Road, 2,000 ft. widened and gravelled and one bad curve straightened.

Break Neck Hill Road, 1,300 ft. widened and gravelled.

Respectfully submitted,

AMOS J. TOOMBS,
Superintendent of Streets

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Amounts paid to individuals for Labor and Truck Hire, 1936:

Chapter 81 Account

A. J. Toombs, Supt.,	Joe Rabini	41.00
Sal'y & Trav. \$1,480.01	Frank Genga	61.00
Labor:	Henry Baldelli	7.50
Frank Rossi 335.01	Joe Berri	9.00
Peter Alberini 215.57	Isaac Castello	342.50
Francis Salmon 334.50	Peter Bianchi	130.50
Lucano Prosperi 376.50	Remigo Malchoide	10.50
John Daughan 55.50	Joe Delarda	8.50
Donald McLeod 260.50	Orazio Rinalda	158.50
Do'inicci Munnici 123.50	Antonio Gumbetti	2.00
Angelo Mancini 71.00	Gus Broderer	4.25
Vinanzio Borelli 262.50	Charlie Corbett	25.00
Howard Wheeler 31.00	Bert Brigham	60.00
Thomas Dando 12.00	Michael Richie	25.00
Andrew Cecolini 80.00	Antonio Morazzini	27.50
Terenzio Tebaldi 13.50	James Munnici	61.50
Henry Delarda 261.50	Luigi Morunzeth	43.50

Geo. Vickers	12.50	Joe Bavari	17.50
G. Pensolfini	116.00	D. T. Uhlman	59.50
Chester Hunt	13.50	Walter Vickers	4.00
Louis Gralton	223.00	Joe Sears	1.50
Peter Walla	106.00	David Thoits	1.50
A. Dragomani	17.50	Truck Hire:	
Alfred Zettler	32.00	Mrs. Peter Rossi	14.00
John Hunt	16.50	Louis Mitchell	135.00
Leo Bertonazzi	27.50	Richard McHale	22.00
James Edmands	4.00	Robert Sealey	60.01
Charlie Wiles	4.50	Charlie Rossi	155.00
Joe Cerrutti	76.50	Edward Corker	36.00
H. Reed	4.00		

Chapter 90, Maintenance, Account

A. J. Toombs, Supt.,		Antonio Morazzini	12.00
and Travel	\$173.32	G. Pensolfini	33.00
Labor:		D. P. Uhlman	36.00
Frank Rossi	35.00	Peter Bianchi	12.00
Isaac Castello	78.00	Peter Alberini	27.00
Henry Delarda	90.00	John Daughan	8.00
Joe Cerrutti	28.00	Angelo Mancini	36.00
Donald McLeod	64.00	James Munnici	12.00
Joe Rabini	8.00	Luigi Morunzeth	9.00
Lucano Prosperi	62.00	H. Reed	8.00
Francis Salmon	58.50	Eng.:	
Vinzio Borelli	40.00	Bert Brigham	27.00
Do'nicci Munnici	32.00	Truck Hire:	
Francis Bigelow	8.00	Charlie Rossi	65.00
Louis Gralton	28.00	Richard McHale	10.00
Michael Richie	20.00		

Chapter 90, Construction, Account

A. J. Toombs, Supt.,		D. T. Uhlman	104.40
and Travel	\$293.26	James Telfer	45.00
Labor:		Harry Moore	36.00
Frank Rossi	216.88	Gas Shovel Oper'r:	
Francis Salmon	128.00	Howard Phipps	281.45
Isaac Castello	163.60	Labor:	
Joe Cerrutti	88.00	Benj. Phillippo	2.50
Peter Bianchi	136.60	Elmer Phillips	28.00
Venzio Borelli	40.00	Walter Vickers	76.65
Angelo Mancini	54.50	Edward Corker	12.00
Donald McLeod	52.00	Andrew Cecolini	4.40
Henry Delarda	181.10	Howard Lincoln	30.00
H. Reed	25.50	Peter Alberini	4.50
Joe Rabini	138.80	Eng.:	
Lucano Prosperi	173.65	A. Willard	4.00
Dominic Munnici	57.50	Truck Hire:	
Louis Gralton	54.00	Charlie Rossi	64.50
Bert Brigham	56.00	Wm. Pine, Eng.	32.00

Snow Removal

Labor:		Orazio Rinaldo	12.50
Frank Rossi	\$165.63	Remizo Malchoide	46.00
Peter Alberini	77.63	Frank Genga	30.50
Irving Hosmer	18.00	Louis Gralton	17.00
John Daughan	47.50	Thomas Dando	16.50
Angelo Mancini	16.00	Thomas Manning	8.50
Dominic Munnici	20.00	Howard Wheeler	18.50
E. K. Gould	8.00	Howard Lincoln	5.00
Vinzio Borelli	20.50	Joe Berry	14.50
Henry Delarda	24.00	Charlie Delarda	18.00
Henry Baldelli	12.50	Wm. Parks	3.00

Harris Cox	17.00	Elmer Phillipso	8.00
Peter Bianchi	14.00	Charles Wiles	8.50
Albert Baldelli	3.00	Leo Bertonazzi	15.00
Joe Delarda	12.00	Francis Salmon	4.50
Joe Rabini	22.00	Joseph Cummings	2.50
Eugene Rossi	3.50	Isaac Castello	25.50
Charlie Walla	4.00	Joe Baldelli	3.00
James Munnici	7.50	Peter Walla	4.50
Terenzio Tebaldi	7.50	Carl Bertonazzi	9.50
Donald McLeod	19.00	Charlie Corbett	3.00
John Brussie	4.50	A. Dragomani	2.00
Lucano Prosperi	24.00	Plowing Snow:	
Walter Perini	4.50	Peter Rossi	75.00
A. Perini	4.50	Carl Bertonazzi	36.00
Nanda Pensolfini	10.50	C. B. Johnson	15.00
Andrew Cecolini	6.00	Truck Hire:	
D. T. Uhlman	8.00	Richard McHale	28.50
John Castinetti	8.00	Peter Rossi	15.50

Private Driveways

A. J. Toombs, Supt.,		Francis Bigelow	4.00
and Travel	\$46.67	Joe Cerrutti	4.00
Labor:		Michael Richie	8.00
Frank Rossi	10.00	Antonio Morazzini	8.00
Peter Alberini	18.00	Louis Gralton	11.50
Frank Salmon	30.00	Lawrence Misener	2.00
Lucano Prosperi	28.00	Angelo Mancini	8.00
Isaac Castello	24.00	Walter Vickers	4.00
Henry Delarda	32.00	G. Pensalfini	7.50
Donald McLeod	10.00	Andrew Cecolini	4.00
Venzino Borelli	12.00	Joe Rabini	8.00
Orezino Rinaldo	16.00	D. T. Uhlman	8.00
Peter Bianchi	16.00	Truck Hire:	
Dominicci Munnici	20.00	Louis Mitchell	10.00

Sidewalks

A. J. Toombs., Supt.,		H. Reed	4.00
and Travel	\$6.67	David Thoits	3.50
Labor:		James Munnici	8.00
Frank Rossi	7.50	Andrew Cecolini	12.00
Joe Cerrutti	8.00	Lucano Prosperi	8.00
Louis Gralton	12.00	Francis Salmon	8.00
Henry Delarda	4.00	Charles Wiles	6.50
Donald McLeod	4.00	Michael Richie	4.00

W.P.A. Projects

Truck Hire:		Henry Mitchell	40.00
Richard McHale	\$74.13	Robert Sealey	110.00
Charlie Rossi	51.62	Louis Mitchell	44.00

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board of the Town of Southborough has held regular monthly meetings during the year 1936, with the exception of the summer months, and two special meetings.

The main activity of the Planning Board—preparing a Zoning Plan for the Town—has been studied and discussed at these meetings. Maps of the Town to show the proposed zones have been prepared. The terms of a Zoning By-Law are being formulated.

Members of the Board have attended District and Regional meetings of the State organizations of Planning Boards.

The organizations of the Town, including the two Woman's Clubs, the Grange, the Knights of Columbus, and the Masonic Lodge, have been briefly addressed by members of the Board to inform them of the desirability of a Zoning Plan for the Town.

In accordance with the terms of the By-Laws, under which this Board has been created, a copy of this report has been sent to the Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare, in Boston, with the request that it be filed.

Respectfully submitted,

LUELLA E. BASSETT,
GERTRUDE I. WADSWORTH.
JOHN A. MARTIN,
EDWARD C. RAMSDELL,
ROBERT F. CHENEY, Chairman,
Southborough Planning Board

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Board of Selectmen,
Gentlemen:—

We submit the following report for the Board of Public Welfare for 1936.

The Town appropriated for the three departments under the jurisdiction of this Board, the sum of \$12,000.00. There has been spent for the three departments \$11,773.05, leaving a balance of \$226.95 to return to the Treasury. There has also been returned to the Treasury the full amount of the State's share of Old Age Assistance, \$1,240.24, and Mothers' Aid Compensation of \$232.67. In addition to this there is in the Treasury, as of January 1st, the sums received by this Town through our Board of \$1,654.27 from the United States Government, for Old Age Compensation, under the new Social Security Act.

With the exception of a few cases pending settlement decisions all monies due the Town from this department have been paid.

There has been about a $33\frac{1}{3}\%$ increase in demand for Old Age Assistance, due to the Government's lowering of the age limit. We anticipate a constantly increasing demand. Were it not for the Government's compensation our appropriation would have to be largely increased.

The number of cases helped this year on Welfare have been about the same and we do not anticipate any decrease in numbers.

Two of our Old Age pensioners have died this year and three have ceased to have their settlement here, the five years absence having expired.

In addition to our regular work, the Board, this year, has had charge of examination and certification of men for the W.P.A. Projects.

We have taken, in all, 67 applications. Of these, 48 have been certified, and of the total, 37 have been assigned work. The balance have either not been eligible for certification, according to the rulings of the W.P.A., or no work has been available of the type they could do.

We do not look forward to any lessening in demand for help from this Board, in 1937, in any of the three departments.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT BEATON,
GEORGE A. MORRISON,
HELEN BURNETT,
Board of Public Welfare

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

January 18, 1937.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Mass.,
Gentlemen:—

In reply to your request for any amounts due the Town through this Board for the year 1936, up to January 1st, 1937, we submit the following:

All Old Age Payments from the State have been paid in full.

All Payments under the new Social Security Act in Old Age reimbursement have been paid in full to November 1st. For the months of November and December there is due \$564.50 plus a small amount for Administration—possibly \$9.00 or \$10.00.

All Mothers' Aid reimbursements have been made from the State, except a possible \$50.00, due us from the Government on the Social Security Act.

There are four cases of Welfare, on which there is a question of settlement between the State various Towns and our own Town, in the amounts of \$165.14, \$97.74 and \$24.75. These will probably only be allowed to a proportionate amount. We are unable to give definite data at the moment. There is also a case of \$360.45, which will undoubtedly be paid when the bill is rendered. Unfortunately, the State fiscal year is only from October to October. So that some of these amounts, while due our Town, are not really payable

by the State until next October. There are two accounts due us amounting to \$182.12, which were approved by the State on January 3rd, which will be paid immediately.

From other Towns, the following sums are due us:

Bridgewater	\$176.77
Framingham	92.18
Hopkinton	45.56
Ashland	83.74

On the Bridgewater case there is at the present time a dispute between the State and Bridgewater and ourselves over settlement due to incorrect data and dates having been given us by the applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE,
Albert Beaton, Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Massachusetts,
Gentlemen:

We herewith present the first annual report of this Board for the year 1936.

A filing system has been set up so that all records and reports of the work accomplished may be kept on hand for reference at all time.

This Board, on March 31, appointed Sereno Johnson of this Town as Inspector of Slaughtering, to serve for a period of one year. This appointment was confirmed by the State Department, on April 2nd, 1936.

Clinics Sponsored

Pre-School Clinic

Chest Clinic

Examined at County Hospital	16
Conferences attended on Infantile Paralysis	1

Tubercular

T. B. Patients hospitalized	2
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T. B. Patient discharged as arrested case	1
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Visits made by all members of Board for the purpose of investigation and settlement of the following cases:

Complaints of nuisance	6
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Noisesome trades	1
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Examinations of drinking water	4
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Permits and Licenses Issued:

Milk dealers	6
Pasteurization plant license	1
Collector of fat and bones permit	1
Dealers' permits for sale of methyl alcohol preparations	7
Burial permits	10

Contagious Diseases Reported—69

Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	1
Infantile Paralysis	12
Scarlet Fever	1
Tuberculosis	2
Mumps	22
Chicken Pox	21
German Measles	7
Other contagious diseases	2
Dog Bite	1

Plans are being formulated for Diphtheria Prevention Clinic, to be held in 1937.

Recommendations

1. This Board recommends that the swimming pool in the Fayville District be put in a sanitary condition if it is to be used as such by the Townspeople during the coming year, and the work be made a W.P.A. Project.

2. The Board also recommends that a suitable site be secured for a Town dump, inasmuch as the location of the present one is considered a menace to the health of those living on adjoining properties.

3. Gas condition found to be existing in the Peters High School building, caused by a defective heating plant, should be corrected if the health of those attending the school sessions is to be considered, and if a high standard of health is to be maintained.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE LABARRE, Chairman,
JAMES F. TELFER,
ANGELINE B. MATTIOLI, Clerk,
Board of Health

REPORT OF TOWN HOUSE COMMITTEE FOR 1936

The regular meeting time of this Committee was the third Tuesday each month in the evening, at the Town Hall, at which time monthly bills were checked and approved, and other matters relating to operation were taken up.

The hall has been used somewhat more than usual during the year, especially by charitable and patriotic organizations, as well as by the schools, for which no rental charges have been made. The use of the hall by others has been much less than in years past and consequently the revenue from rentals is probably the lowest for some years.

The usual minor repairs have been made as necessary, the most important repair work being the installation of a new sill in the rear of the building, where it was badly needed.

The Committee make the following recommendations for repairs, etc., for 1937, which we consider should have attention:

Repairs to hall roof.

Repairs to front and back doors.

Painting of back hall and room.

Painting and repairs to ceiling in main hall.

New grates should be installed in the large furnace.

A new floor should be laid in the main hall.

The stage should be enlarged and remodelled.

Your Committee recommends that the Selectmen provide a W.P.A. Project, if at all possible, in connection with the last two recommendations.

The repairs listed are only those that, in our opinion, are absolutely necessary for the proper preservation of the building.

The cost of maintenance will be found in the report of the Town Accountant.

Following is data concerning hall use in 1936:

Number of times used	70
Number of times rented	19
Number of times no rentals	51

JAMES F. TELFER, Chairman,
JAMES A. DeMONE,
ALLAN N. DRAPER, Clerk,
Town House Committee

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Mass.,
Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report for 1936.

The work of the Department this year returned to normal. No Federal assistance was given. Planting, trimming and spraying were carried on. The condition of the shade trees, as a whole, is good. Insect pests seem to be increasing.

A campaign against forest tent caterpillars was carried on by the Boy and Girl Scout Troops. Encouraged by prizes offered by the American Legion Post and by a private individual, nearly 10,000 nests were turned in to the Tree Warden. Boy Scout Troop 3, Fayville, the winner, was credited with 5,362 nests. The Girl Scout Troop, 2nd, with 3,225 nests. Individual winners also came from Troop 3.

I wish to call to your attention the bad condition of the building in which this Department is housed. Panes of glass are out and many are loose. There are at least seven leaks in the roof.

The large spraying machine is urgently in need of repairs. The tank and fittings are in such bad shape that it is estimated that at least 10% of the arsenate of lead solution leaked out. This machine is one-half owned by the Town and a half by the Commonwealth. With but one overhauling, it has been in use for 23 years.

The report of receipts and expenditures will be found in the report of the Town Auditor.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY BURNETT,
Tree Warden

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

Total number of stables inspected	57
Pure bred cattle	171
Pure bred young cattle	98
Grade cattle	601
Grade young cattle	115
Pure bred bulls	21
Grade bulls	19
Total number of cattle inspected	1,025
Swine	17
Sheep	6
Goats	12
Total number of animals	1,060
"Out of State" cattle released from quarantine	105
Dogs quarantined	2
Cases of rabies	0
Persons bitten by dogs	2

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ONTHANK,
Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER

Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Mass.,

Gentlemen:—

The following is a report of my activities as dog officer for the year 1936.

Dogs reported astray, collected and disposed of	15
Dog nuisances investigated	6
Accident cases attended	3

Respectfully submitted,

R. H. JOHNSON,
Dog Officer

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town of Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

The work of the Moth Department was carried on as in previous years and with the assistance of the Federal Government a great deal more territory was covered than would have been otherwise. It was estimated by State and Federal authorities that there were 271 acres defoliated, also estimated by these same Inspectors, there would have been another 150 acres defoliated but for the W.P.A. funds.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. BROCK,
Moth Superintendent

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town of Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

During the year 1936 the Fire Department answered 39 calls, as follows: 16 buildings, 4 autos, and 19 brush and grass fires.

Estimated value of buildings endangered \$96,500 with contents valued at \$32,400, with loss on buildings of \$28,945 and on contents \$4,405.00. There were 12,100 ft. of hose laid, 840 ft. of ladders raised, 272½ gals. chemicals used and 4 fuses.

The value of one of the newly constructed water holes was seen this past year at one of our building fires.

I recommend the purchase of 1,000 ft. of 2½-inch hose as a replacement, also repair of roof of the Fayetteville Fire Station, which is leaking in several places, a cement floor should be put in the apparatus room.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. BROCK,
Chief of Fire Department

REPORT OF THE FOREST WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town of Southborough, Massachusetts.

I hereby submit my annual report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

During the past year there were 19 calls for woods and grass fires, which burned an area of about 24½ acres.

Respectfully submitted,

PATRICK J. BROCK,
Forest Warden

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town of Southborough, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year of
1936.

Total Auto Accidents investigated	16
Auto Accidents, personal injury	4
Fatal Accidents	1
Auto Accidents, property damage only	11
Summonses served for other departments	9
Summonses served for local department	6
Speeders summoned to Court	3
Fires attended at night	3
Arrests	2
Breaking and entering in the day time	1
Insane patient returned to State Hospital	1

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. HARRIS,
Police Officer

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1936

Number of volumes in Library	18,045
Number of volumes added during the year	205
Number of volumes donated	45
Number of volumes purchased	160
Number of volumes delivered during the year	21,722
Number of volumes delivered in Southborough	16,063
Number of volumes delivered in Fayville	2,679
Number of volumes delivered in Southville	2,980
Circulation in Southborough,	
Largest number of volumes delivered in a month, October	1,548
Largest number of volumes delivered in a day, September 26	109
Smallest number of volumes delivered in a month, June	1,114
Smallest number of volumes delivered in a day, December 24	1
Total attendance during the year	11,379
Adult attendance	4,921
Juvenile attendance	6,458
Number of Families registered	710
Fines collected	\$18.00

Volumes delivered in the following classes:

		Adult	Juvenile
000	General Works	36	6
100	Philosophy	40	
200	Religion	17	

300	Sociology (Juv. Fairy Tales)	110	55
400	Philology		2
500	Natural Science	40	146
600	Useful Arts	78	21
700	Fine Arts	78	34
800	Literature	187	46
900	History	189	37
910-919	Travel	344	43
920	Biography	544	133
	Fiction	8911	3355
	Current Periodicals	992	619

Circulation for	Fayville	Southville
Total circulation	2679	2980
Adult Fiction	1615	1052
Juvenile Fiction	491	1212
Non-Fiction	162	
Current Periodicals	411	716
Total attendance	1436	1328
Adult attendance	622	359
Juvenile attendance	814	969
Miss Regan's Room		366
Miss Gleason's Room		94

To those who have been so kind in remembering Fay Library with gifts of books and magazines, the Trustees and the Librarian are very grateful.

SARAH V. STIVERS,
Librarian

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

School Committee

OF

Southborough, Massachusetts

For the Year Ending December 31

1936



DIRECTORY OF SCHOOL OFFICIALS

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

James G. Stockwell	Term expires March, 1937
Harris D. Eaton	Term expires March, 1938
William N. Davis	Term expires March, 1939

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Henry G. Blount

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Hugh Folsom, M. D.

DENTAL EXAMINER

Arthur G. Webster, D. D. S.

SCHOOL NURSE

Mrs. Mary A. Baker

CENSUS ENUMERATOR

Mrs. Mary A. Baker

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

William A. Wentworth

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Herewith is presented the Annual Report of the School Committee for the year 1936, together with those of the Superintendent of Schools, the Principal of the Peters High School, Supervisors of Music and Drawing and the School Nurse.

Instruction

The Committee feels the year was a successful one and again takes this opportunity to thank the Superintendent, Principals and teachers on their effort and co-operation. The result of their work is evidenced by the fact that so many of the graduates of P.H.S., who are taking advanced education, are carrying on successfully.

Our school continues in Grade A awarded by the State Department of Education.

Teachers

One change was made in the teaching staff during the year. Miss Barbara E. Goward was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Florence Strickland, who gave up her position to be married.

Health

The health program was continued along the same lines as other years; an account of the Medical and

Dental examination is given in detail in the report of the School Nurse.

Dr. Hugh Folsom has consented to be School Physician and it is most gratifying, to your Committee, to note the interest he is taking in the work, also the thoroughness he has shown in the examinations.

We have asked the Advisory Board to recommend a small amount of money so that we might have a Dental Clinic, in conjunction with the County.

Repairs

Painting and varnishing the interiors of the different buildings was done during the summer by the janitors.

Furnaces repaired and new smoke-pipe installed on the boiler in the new building.

Ventilator repaired and shingled on the Peters High School.

New Equipment

The last few years the platform at the Town Hall has proved too small to accommodate the pupils taking part in the graduating exercises. We have borrowed lumber from one of the Town Organizations, paid cartage, carpenters for putting on an extension, taking it down, etc., etc., running into quite a little money each time and then had nothing as a permanent remedy to our problem.

This year, for a very reasonable amount, we had an extension platform made in movable sections; these

we store in the basement of the new building when not in use. We now feel this question is settled for the future.

Transportation

This item in budget, for 1937, has been reduced some \$640.00. In making this reduction we have brought the cost of transportation to around 31 cents per mile, which seems to be about the average for the surrounding towns, and in fact for the State. The different routes call for some 95 miles of travel daily so this item must of necessity represent a large expenditure.

Future Improvements

In our reports, for several years back, we have mentioned the condition of the old furnaces at Peters High School. We have been able, however, by having them carefully overhauled and repaired in the Fall and looked over at intervals during the cold weather, to get by without too much trouble from gas.

This year proved an exception; they have not responded to our treatment and have caused a lot of trouble—on two occasions the smoke and gas being so bad that school had to be dismissed.

The Committee feels it has done all in its power to make the old equipment serviceable, but to no avail, so has put an article in the Town warrant asking for a new heating system.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRIS D. EATON
JAMES G. STOCKWELL
WILLIAM N. DAVIS

Financial Statement **Expended, 1936**

General Control:

School Committee	\$300.00	
Superintendent, Salary	1,399.84	
Superintendent, Expenses	140.09	
Attendance Officer	25.00	\$1,864.93
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Instruction—Salaries:

High School	9,370.00	
Elementary, Salaries	13,709.89	
Sub't Teachers (\$150.00)	144.00	
Music	360.00	
Drawing	400.00	
Domestic Science	900.00	24,883.89
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Pupil Teacher Carfare 31.92

Janitor Service:

High School	1,866.56	
Elementary School	1,200.00	
Fayville	492.00	3,558.56
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Fuel, Coal and Wood 1,577.50

Light and Power (\$250.00)	205.83	
(Credit used)	37.00	242.83
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Text Books:

High School	253.09	
Elementary School	393.76	646.85
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Supplies:

High School	260.96	
Elementary School	244.20	
Domestic Science	67.71	
Manual Training	197.58	770.45
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Maintenance:

Repairs and upkeep	463.80	
Janitors' Supplies (\$150.00)	144.84	608.64
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Capital Outlay:

New Equipment	176.23	
New Furniture (\$100.00)	176.23
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Auxiliary Agencies:

Medical Inspection	50.00	
Dental Inspection	50.00	
School Nurse	820.00	
Medical Supplies (\$40.00)	9.12	
Recreational Supplies	81.82	1,010.94
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Transportation:

Auto Barges	6,430.00	
Barge Liability, Insurance	495.30	6,925.30
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All other agencies:

School Census	
Graduation Exercises	89.09	
Telephone	161.78	
Stationery, Printing, Postage	7.59	

Express, Freight, Cart. (\$25.00)	3.65	
Water, all buildings	72.00	
Health Clinic	
Tuition, Framingham	
Misc., Unclassified (\$5,000)	20.00	354.71
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Totals		\$42,652.75
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		\$42,615.75
Appropriation		\$43,850.00
Refunds		24.00
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		\$43,874.00
Expended		42,615.75
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Unexpended		\$1,258.25

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee and Citizens
of Southborough,

Ladies and Gentlemen:

It gives me pleasure to submit my report of the schools of Southborough, which is the eleventh in my series of annual reports.

Repairs

The usual interior painting has been done at the four buildings in use by the school department. Further repairs have been made on the furnaces at Peters High School and on the returns of the steam boiler at South Union School.

The condition of the steel ceiling and walls at Peters High School building is poor. In the hallways rust has begun to appear and the surfaces in the classrooms are rather soiled. It is recommended that the Committee consider the advisability of painting all or part of the interior of the building. The exterior of the South Union building also is in need of paint. Repairs to the steps and driveway of this building are needed. It might be advisable also to resurface a part of the driveway at Peters High School.

The figures in Table 1 below show achievement in the Metropolitan Achievement Test for grades 2 to 8. Results are combined in one set of figures for each grade for all schools. The subjects included in grades four to eight are reading, arithmetic, English, literature, history, geography, and spelling. For grades two and three the subjects included are reading, arithmetic, and spelling. The general average is also given. In the first column are given the average chronological age for each grade and in the following columns the achievement age for each of the subjects mentioned above. If the achievement age is greater than the chronological age the grade is accelerated in achievement, and if less, the grade is retarded. If the two are equal the grade is normal in achievement.

The figures in Table 2 show the achievement of the Senior class of the High School in English, Mathematics, Science, and the Social Sciences. General averages are also given. The test used was the Iowa High School Contest Examination. Scores reached by the Southborough group are given and also scores by the different high schools in Iowa averaged together.

The Table 2 should be read, for example, in English the average score for the Senior Class at Peters High was 49 and for Iowa High schools 51. Other scores may be read in a similar manner.

TABLE 1

Grade	Av. Cron. Age	Av. Read. Age	Av. Arith. Age	Av. Eng. Age	Av. Lit. Age	Av. Hist. Age	Av. Geog. Age	Gen'l Av.
8	13-10	13-10	13-9	14-7	14-3	14-3	13-10	13-10
7	12-7	13-8	13-6	14-4	13-10	13-10	14-0	13-8
6	11-9	12-1	11-9	13-1	12-7	12-0	12-3	12-1
5	10-9	11-3	10-9	12-6	11-0	11-7	10-7	10-9
4	9-9	10-0	10-4	10-4	10-3	10-1	10-3	10-1
3	8-6	9-3	8-11					9-4
2	7-6	8-7	7-11					8-2

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TABLE 2

	English		Math.		Science		Soc. Sciences		Average for all subjects	
	PHS	Iowa	PHS	Iowa	PHS	Iowa	PHS	Iowa	PHS	Iowa
Senior Cl's	49	51	35	32	36	29	46	49	161	160

MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Year ending June 30, 1936

	Enrollment		Total
	Elementary	Secondary	
Boys	144	52	196
Girls	133	56	189
Totals	277	108	385
Non-resident pupils	16	1	17
Av. daily att.	240	100	340
Average member's p	260	106	366

ENROLLMENT

October 1, 1936

Grade	Peters High School	Fayville School	So. Union School	Total
1	19	8	11	38
2	14	7	11	32
3	14	5	7	26
4	24		14	38
5	31		8	39
6	19		8	27
7	25		26	31
8	25		5	30
	—	—	—	—
	171	20	70	261
9	25			25
10	35			35
11	23			23
12	24			24
Special Class	9			9
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Total	287	20	70	377

CENSUS ENUMERATION

October 1, 1936

	5-7 yrs.	7-14 yrs.	14-16 yrs.	Total
Boys	35	126	29	190
Girls	24	110	41	175
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Totals	59	236	70	365

Distribution of above

In public schools	335
In private schools	9
Under instruction of tutor	1
In State institutions	1
Not in any school	19
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Total	365

Appreciation

I wish to thank the members of the School Committee for their excellent cooperation and help in many matters relating to school administration.

The morale of the teaching staff is high. They are deserving of the utmost appreciation for their excellent service to the schools of Southborough.

The citizens of Southborough have supported public schools of the town most worthily. I bespeak their continued cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

H. G. BLOUNT,
Superintendent of Schools

Teacher	School	Grade or Subject	Salary
Albert S. Woodward	Principal, High	Mathematics, Science	\$3000
Eva Hayward	High	Commercial	1500
Edith Perry	High	French, English	1300
Genevieve Bagley	High	English, Latin	1200
Dorothy Harrington	High	History, Geography, General Science	950
Ralph Wilbur	High	Manual Arts	1450
Beatrice Thompson	High	Domestic Arts	900
Mary Finn, Principal	High Annex	Grade 6	1600
Florence Finn	High, 5	Grade 5	1250
Marie Bagley	High	Grade 4	1300
Mary Hayes	High	Grade 3	1100
Mary Brady	High	Grades 1, 2	1250
Dorothy Kendall	Special Class		1250
Julia Gleason	Principal, S. Union	Grades 7, 8	1600
Muriel Robie	So. Union	Grades 4, 5, 6	900
Mary Reagan	So. Union	Grades 1, 2, 3	1500
Margaret Neary	Fayville	Grades 1, 2, 3	1600
Florence Strickland*		Supervisor of Music	360
Marguerite Peaslee		Supervisor of Drawing	400
W. L. Rinehart		Supervisor of Penmanship	300

*Replaced by Miss Barbara Goward.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

To Mr. Henry G. Blount, Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Mass.

I hereby submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1936.

The enrollment for the High School, as of October 1, 1936, is as follows:

Grade VII	25	Grade X	35
Grade VIII	25	Grade XI	23
Grade IX	25	Grade XII	24

The attendance has been quite satisfactory and the pupils are to be commended for their regularity.

The class of 1936 has six attending college, Walter Brewer, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Robert Howes, Holy Cross College; Marjorie Johnson and Richard Blake, Massachusetts State College; Carolyn Smith, Western Maryland College, and John Woodward, New Hampshire State College.

John Davis and Ruth Harwood of the class of 1935 are attending college. John Davis, at Bates, and Ruth Harwood, at Wellesley.

The annual prize speaking contest was held in May, 1935, and the parts were well selected and prepared. Julia Rinaldo won first prize and Barbara Stearns second prize in the girls' division. Aldo Tombari won first and David Bailly second in the boys' division.

To parents whose children are seriously considering hospital training, I would call attention to the fact that the requirement for entrance has been greatly increased. Practically all hospitals require a high school training equivalent to that required for entrance to any college.

Our school is a Class A school and we are entitled to certify pupils to any of the State Teachers' Colleges, provided such pupils maintain and offer for entrance subjects with an average of B or better in all their subjects.

The school has enjoyed a successful year. The teachers are faithful and conscientious and strive at all times to inspire the pupils to do their best work.

In conclusion I wish to thank the teachers for their cooperation, the Superintendent for his advice and constructive criticism, and the School Committee for their loyalty and support.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. WOODWARD

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Mr. Henry G. Blount,
Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I wish to submit to you and the School Committee my first report as Music Supervisor in Southborough.

The objectives for the year are:

1. To give the lower grades worthy songs, song games and dances, and to introduce to them musical notations.
2. To carry on, in the intermediate grades, the regular work done in reading, part singing, and in theory of music insofar as it will enrich the child's life in the class room and in his outside life.
3. To add to the enjoyment of music through acquaintance with well-known folk songs and with world famous compositions of great composers.
4. To introduce a "Music memory contest." The children from the fourth grade through the eighth learn to recognize famous melodies and compositions and tell the origin or composer in preparation for a contest in the Spring.

5. To form a high school orchestra and hold weekly rehearsals. This group has already played publicly and expects to do so again.
6. To make it possible, later in the year, for the public to know something of the work done in music in the schools by a public demonstration.

In addition to this regular work, the first three grades presented at Christmas time an operetta entitled "A Visit to Santa Claus Land." This performance represented a great deal of patient work by the teachers, Miss Brady and Miss Hayes, and the little people who took part.

The fifth grade, under the direction of Miss Florence Finn, presented an operetta, also, entitled "When Toys Come to Life." These teachers may be very proud of the unusual success of their work, and I wish to thank them again, here, publicly.

May I also thank Mr. Blount, the School Committee members, and all my teachers for their kind coöperation and helpfulness to me as your new Music Supervisor.

Respectfully submitted,

BARBARA E. GOWARD,
Supervisor of Music

REPORT OF THE ART SUPERVISOR

Mr. Henry G. Blount,
Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my report as Art Supervisor of the Southborough Schools.

As outlined in previous reports there are certain phases of art which must be taught throughout the system. These phases may sometimes be relayed to the pupils in a standardized manner or then again, in accordance with the trend of the times, they may be vitalized for the child by song, story or dramatization.

This last method many times conveys the impression you are trying to create much more successfully than the older methods. It also creates imagination, resourcefulness, observation and many other qualities. Although few children intend to become artists, in the sense many give the term, each child can derive some benefit from the course, thereby enriching his own life with a keener appreciation of artistic values.

We try to foster in the teaching of color, design and composition. Knowing that we are all consumers of art, we should learn to recognize the art value as well

as the practical value of things purchased, and be able to distinguish between the good and the mediocre. This applies in the home as well as in business.

In conclusion I wish to thank the School Committee, Superintendent, and teachers for their co-operation and interest.

Very truly yours,
MARGUERITE ELLIOTT PEASLEE

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. Henry G. Blount,
Superintendent of Schools,
Southborough, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my report as School Nurse of the Southborough Schools.

Number of pupils with defective teeth	255
Number of pupils with defective hearing	13
Number of pupils with defective eye sight	7
Number of pupils underweight	85
Number of pupils with defective tonsils	49
Number of hours on duty	548
Number of cases of contagious disease	44
Number of class room visits	596
Number of visits to children's homes	171
Number of visits to school physician	13
Number of cases of pediculosis	1
Number of first aid treatments	77

A Pre-school Clinic was held by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, on May 8, 1936. Twenty children attended, accompanied by their mothers. Physical defects were noted and many corrected during the summer, thus giving the child a chance to start school physically fit.

The Southern Worcester County Health Association held their annual tubercular clinic on September 28, 1936. Fifty children were skin tested. Five showed positive reactions, but physical examinations and X-Rays showed them to be in good health.

Dr. Hugh Folsom became our School Physician, in December, and since then has completed the annual physical examination.

Through the kindness of various charitable organizations, five children were fitted to glasses, four had tonsils removed, and five had dental work done.

In closing, I wish to thank the School Committee, the Superintendent, the Principal and Teachers for their kindness and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY A. BAKER

GRADUATION EXERCISES
of the Class of 1936
PETERS' HIGH SCHOOL

PROGRAMME

PROCESSIONAL MARCH, "Up the Street" Morse
 CHORUS, "Nightfall", arrangement of

Liebestromme by Liszt
 ESSAY (Second Honor) "A Well Built Life"

Carolyn L. Smith
 ESSAY, "Aluminum in Our Everyday Life"
 Walter B. Brewer

GIRLS CHORUS, "The Violet", arrangement of
 Humoresque by Dvorak

ESSAY, "What the Average Family Reads"
 Margery D. Johnson

VALEDICTORY ESSAY (First Honor)
 Robert G. Howes

CHORUS, "The Holiday" Louis Ganne

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR PRIZES

ADDRESS,

Rev. John Martin, Pastor of St. Anne's Church
 PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS,

Mr. Henry G. Blount, Superintendent of Schools
 CLASS SONG

RECESSIONAL MARCH, "True Pals"

MUSICAL DIRECTOR Miss Florence Strickland

MARSHAL Cushman P. Bean

ACCOMPANISTS, Margaret McNeil and Bette Coburn

HONOR GRADUATES

Robert G. Howes	Carolyn L. Smith
Margery D. Johnson	Walter B. Brewer
John M. Woodward	Eugene H. Wilbur
Louisa E. Cummings	Richard F. Blake

 CLASS OF 1936
 COLLEGE-CLASSICAL

Robert G. Howes	Carolyn L. Smith
Margery D. Johnson	

COLLEGE

Walter B. Brewer	John M. Woodward
Richard F. Blake	

COMMERCIAL

Julia J. Rinoldo	Lena E. Cerutti
Mary S. Roberts	

GENERAL

Frederick Fradsham	James F. Stockwell
Eugene H. Wilbur	Alfred P. Phillipo
Terrence J. Maguire	John A. Salmon
Mabel E. Lincoln	Louisa E. Cummings

CLASS COLORS

Navy Blue and Silver

CLASS MOTTO

Believe and Conquer

CLASS FLOWER

White Rose

CLASS SONG

(Tune to "Anchors Aweigh")

Farewell, our Peters High,
Guide us through life;
With many a lasting sigh
We leave our pals to join the strife,
Throughout the coming years,
On to our ends,
Always remember we'll come back to honor
you, our dearest friends,
Come along, dear classmates,
Even though our pathways may never cross,
We will hold fond memories
While our ships of state on the ocean toss;
Here's to you, tried and true,
As we heap the honors due——
Our Alma Mater dear,
We'll cherish long;
Urged by her guiding hand
We'll through the ages right the wrong,
We'll have no cause to dry
Tears left unshed;
For you, dear Peters High,
We'll reach the hidden goal that lies ahead.

Words by Margery D. Johnson

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

February 5, 1937.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Southborough,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Southborough qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough on

Monday Evening, March 8, 1937,

at seven o'clock, then and there to take action on the following Articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Article 2. To hear the reports of the various Town Officers and Committees, and do or act thereon.

Article 3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the town's use and make appropriation of same.

Article 4. To see if the town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1937, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended, and pass any vote or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see what action the town will take in regard to any unexpended balances made for special purposes, and of any other funds in the hands of the Town Treasurer.

Article 6. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Assessors, subject to the written authority of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, to use free cash in the town treasury, and if so, what sum, for the purpose of reducing the amount to be raised and assessed as taxes in 1937, or pass any vote relative thereto.

Article 7. To see what disposition shall be made of the dog money.

Article 8. To see if the Town will accept contributions from the Saint Mark's School and the Fay School, and determine what disposition shall be made of the same if accepted.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept the gift to the Town for the benefit of certain inhabitants thereof, under clause 3 of the will of John L. Bacon, late of Southborough, which clause provides as follows:

"To the Treasurer of the Town of Southborough, I give and bequeath the sum of ten thousand dollars, (10,000.00) to be held in trust by the Treasurer of said Town, and invested in high grade securities to be selected by him with the assistance and consent of the Selectmen of said Town, to use the income only thereof to pay, in whole or in part, the hospital expenses of any worthy inhabitant of said Town, who, in the opinion of the Board of Public Welfare of said Town, is entitled to such aid. The term "Hospital expenses" used herein shall not be interpreted to include doctor's fees;" and to administer the trust herein directed, or do or act anything in relation thereto. (Board of Selectmen)

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to institute appropriate legal proceedings in the Probate Court so that the fund given to the Town under clause 3 of the will of John L. Bacon, late of Southborough, may be paid direct to the Town, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Board of Selectmen)

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Zoning By-Law prepared by the Planning Board, a copy of which is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Planning Board)

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of General Laws, (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 143, Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, and 12 inclusive, (relative to the appointment of an inspector of buildings), or do or act anything in relation thereto.

(Planning Board)

Article 13. To see if the Town will authorize the Cemetery Commissioners to expend the sum of \$500, to be taken from the Rural Cemetery Reserve Fund, or do or act thereon.

(Cemetery Commissioners)

Article 14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$250. for the use of the Planning Board, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Planning Board)

Article 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$130. to defray the expense of Memorial Day observance, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by Leo L. Bagley Post No. 161 of the American Legion)

Article 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$75. for the use of the Tree Warden, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Tree Warden)

Article 17. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,900. for the maintenance of Chapter 81 roads, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 18. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000. for construction of Chapter 90 highways, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 19. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$600. for maintenance of Chapter 90 highways, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 20. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500. for work to be done on private driveways, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000. to be used for the payment of materials and for special labor that may be required on projects for which money is available and allotted by the Federal Government, the Commonwealth, or other governmental agencies under present existing legislation, or any future legislation that may hereafter become effective for the purpose of relieving or aiding towns in providing employment or reducing welfare costs, or take any action relative thereto. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the Town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under tax-title procedure, provided that the Selectmen, or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction, may reject any bid they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 23. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum not to exceed \$1,000. to be taken from the Highway Maintenance Fund, for the purchase of a new truck for the Highway Department, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 24. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000. to defray the expense of a new heating system for the school buildings in the center of the Town, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the School Committee)

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept a new lay-out of "A" Street, as recommended by the Board of Selectmen, at the corner of "A" Street and Boston Road. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 26. To see if the Town will rescind its vote taken at its Annual Town Meeting held on March 14, 1932, whereby it discontinued Walnut Hill Road leading westerly from Ward Road to the Westborough Town Line. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to rescind its vote taken at its Annual Town Meeting held on March 14, 1932, whereby it discontinued the road leading from Sears Road to the Trotting Park. (Proposed by Charles E. Corbett and twenty others)

Article 28. To see if the Town will authorize its School Committee to sell, or transfer to the Town, the unused roof shingles which are now being stored in the central school buildings, same to be used to patch the roof on the old fire-house, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 29. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100. for repairs to the old fire house, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$500. for the erection of a playground for the children in the Fayville section of the Town, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by George F. Guinasso and John A. Bavari)

Article 31. To see if the Town will exempt from taxes for three years all houses that may be built for the next three years. (Proposed by Merton E. Hewitt)

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to establish a Road Machinery Account for the purpose of repairing and operating Road Machinery, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Selectmen)

Article 33. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the extension of water mains on Wood Street, in Southville, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by the Water Board)

Article 34. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for the extension of water mains from Watkin's house on Richards Road to M. Aselbakian's on the corner of Break Neck Hill Road and Woodland Road, or do or act thereon. (Proposed by M. Aselbakian and 30 others)

And to notify the inhabitants of the First Precinct of the said Town of Southborough, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town House in said Southborough, and the inhabitants of the Second Precinct of the said town to meet in the South Union School on

Monday, March 15, 1937,

then and there at those places to bring in their votes to the Election Officers of the respective Precincts, for

Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, one member of the Board of Selectmen for the term of three years, one member of the Board of Assessors for

the term of three years, one member of the School Committee for the term of three years, one member of the Board of Water Commissioners for the term of three years, one member of the Board of Public Welfare for the term of three years, one Cemetery Commissioner for the term of three years, one member of the Board of Health for the term of three years, two Trustees of the Board of Trustees of the library for the term of three years, two members of the Planning Board for the term of three years, and a Tree Warden for one year.

The polls in each Precinct will be opened at six o'clock in the morning and will be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

And you are to give notice hereof by posting true and attested copies of this Warrant at the Town Hall, Fayville Hall, all the railroad stations in the town, the Post Offices in Southborough, Fayville, Cordaville and Southville seven days at least before the time appointed for such meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the time set for said meeting.

Given under our hands this fifth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

CHARLES M. PROCTOR,
GEORGE H. BURNETT,
ALTON B. SPURR,

Selectmen of Southborough

A true copy:

Attest:

Constable

REPORT
OF THE
ADVISORY COMMITTEE
OF
Southborough, Massachusetts
For the Year 1936



To the Citizens of Southborough:

1. In 1935, the amount which was set aside in the Reserve Fund was increased from the usual amount (\$2,500.00), to \$4,000.00—this, as was explained at the Town Meeting, because of the new law, to the effect that all appropriations must be made at the Town Meeting and that thereafter and until 1936, it would be impossible (except through transfers from the Fund), to secure additional sums of money, should such be needed. As a matter of fact, however, the need did not arise; as the total amount transferred from the Fund, was \$1,394.39—practically \$1,000.00 less than in 1934—leaving a balance of slightly more than \$2,600.00. This, in the opinion of the Advisory Committee, is a very satisfactory showing and reflects credit upon the heads of the Departments of the Town, who, for the most part, expended less than the amounts which were appropriated at the meeting in March, 1935.

2. For those to whom it may not be clear, the Advisory Committee submits the following tabulation, to show for 1935, (1) the amounts which were expended by certain Departments; (2) income which would be credited to those Departments, were it legal, but instead has been placed in the general treasury; (3) the net cost to the Town:

Item		Expended	Income	Net Cost To Town
26	Water Maint.	5,333.80	9,371.74	4,037.94 (excess of income)
27 to 29,	Pub. Wel., etc.	10,962.73	4,023.54	6,939.19
32	School Dept.	43,956.49	4,782.46	39,174.03
43	Cemetery Maint.	2,742.89	1,658.27	1,084.62

While the above is by no means an all-inclusive list, nevertheless it takes in those Departments for which, as a rule, there are comparatively large appropriations and it shows clearly, the difference between the gross and what is really the net cost to the Town.

3. It is the understanding of the Advisory Committee, that in connection with any matter pertaining to the Department over which he has jurisdiction, the head of that Department is at liberty to engage counsel. It is the reaction of the Committee, however, that it would be for the best interests of the Town, if there were adopted a by-law, to the effect that no one in his capacity as head of, or connected with a Department of the Town, should hire the services of an attorney, before conferring with the Selectmen and receiving their consent thereto. Accordingly, when and if there be submitted a by-law to that effect, it is the recommendation of the Advisory Committee that it receive favorable consideration.

4. By request of the Town Accountant, the Advisory Committee calls to the attention of the Departments, the requirement under Sections 53 to 60, of Chapter 127, General Laws of the State—a requirement to the effect that the purchase by a Department of the Town, of such articles as brooms, brushes, furniture, clothing, boots, shoes, ash-cans and other metalware, must be from the Department of Correction. If, however, such articles are not available there, then a certificate from the Commissioner must be secured, permitting the purchase of the articles elsewhere. Also by request of the Town Accountant, the Committee gives again its recommendation of a year ago, viz., that every Department which renders bills to the State, as well as to cities and towns, send a copy thereof to the Accountant, at the time of rendering the bill, so that he may be fully informed.

5. A study of the tabulation under Article 3, giving the amounts which were appropriated in 1935 and those which are requested and recommended for 1936, will show the following: (1) barring such items as Election and Registration (Item 7), Mothers' Aid (Item 28), Old Age Assistance (Item 29), and Soldiers' Relief (Item 30), in connection with which there are increases which are unavoidable, the amounts for 1936, are, for the most part, less, and in many cases markedly less, than in 1935; (2) the total of the sums

which are requested and recommended for 1936, is between approximately \$3,200.00 and \$3,400.00 less than the amount which was appropriated in 1935. Here again credit is due to many Departments of the Town. While at this writing, the Committee does not know the amount of the tax which the Town must pay to the State, as well as the amount of the estimated income to the Town and therefore is not in a position to make a positive statement, nevertheless it is very possible that if the Committee's recommendations be followed, pertaining not alone to Article 3, but to the other articles as well, the residents of Southborough will have some measure of relief, in the shape of lower taxes in 1936.

RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING ARTICLES IN THE TOWN WARRANT

Article 3. Under this article come all the appropriations for the general government of the Town, and the recommendations of the Advisory Committee are shown in tabulated form, as a part of its report.

Article 4. It is recommended that the authorization be granted.

Article 5. It is the understanding of the Committee, that no action need be taken.

Article 6. It is recommended that the authorization be granted, the specific sum in connection therewith, to be reported at the meeting of the Town on March 9.

Article 7. It is recommended that the revenue obtained from the licensing of dogs, be used as a part of the appropriation for the Library.

Article 8. It is recommended that the contributions be accepted and placed in the Town Treasury.

Article 9. It is recommended that the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated.

Article 10. It is recommended that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated.

Article 11. It is recommended that the sum of \$5,292.61 be appropriated.

Article 12. It is recommended that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated.

Article 13. It is recommended that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated.

Article 14. It is recommended that the sum of \$600.00 be appropriated.

Article 15. It is recommended that the authorization be granted.

Article 17. It is recommended that the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated.

Article 18. It is recommended that the sum of \$150.00 be appropriated.

Article 20. The recommendation of a majority of the Committee, is as follows: just as the Town recognized in 1933 (the last year when normally the Assessors' book would have been printed), the need for conserving cash and consequently voted to waive its by-law, so it should recognize that the same need exists in 1936 and therefore, it should make no appropriation. The recommendation of a minority of the Committee is this: the by-law in question is intended to make the details of all assessments readily available to the citizens of the Town. In the opinion of the minority, the citizens are entitled to this information and the by-law should be enforced.

Article 21. It is recommended that the article be dismissed.

Article 22. It is recommended that the article be dismissed.

Article 23. It is recommended that the article be dismissed.

Article 24. It is recommended that the article be dismissed.

Article 25. It is recommended that the article be dismissed.

(It will be noted that in some items, the amount which is recommended for 1936, is from \$.75 to \$4.90 less than the amount which is requested. The reason therefor is the desire of the Committee to have, as far as possible, a number divisible by 5 or 10).

		1935	1935	1936	1936
	Item	App.	Expended	Requested	Recom'ded
Selectmen	1	\$625.00	\$614.15	\$606.00	\$605.00
Legal Expense	2	500.00	454.20	600.00	600.00
Accountant	3	565.00	567.36	555.00	555.00
Treasurer	4	809.00	773.17	770.00	770.00
Collector	5	959.75	955.24	945.75	945.00
Town Clerk	6	450.00	441.95	442.00	440.00
Election and Registration	7	265.00	291.31	689.00	685.00
Assessors	8	1,120.00	1,107.34	1,052.00	1,050.00
		<u>5,293.75</u>	<u>5,204.72</u>	<u>5,659.75</u>	<u>5,650.00</u>
Town Hall Maintenance	9	1,300.00	1,341.11	1,157.00	1,155.00
Police Department	10	2,265.00	2,240.86	2,240.00	2,240.00
Fire Department	11	1,414.50	1,326.27	876.00	875.00
Fire Department, Sal'es	12	1,860.00	1,825.55	1,775.00	1,775.00

Forest Fires	13	1,675.00	1,618.20	499.50	495.00
Hydrant Snow Removal	14	100.00	48.00	50.00	50.00
		<u>8,614.50</u>	<u>8,399.99</u>	<u>6,597.50</u>	<u>6,590.00</u>
Tree Warden	15	885.00	871.06	912.40	910.00
Moth Department	16	950.00	928.50	753.15	750.00
		<u>1,835.00</u>	<u>1,799.56</u>	<u>1,665.55</u>	<u>1,660.00</u>
Sealer of Wt's and Meas.	17	190.00	187.83	197.00	195.00
Board of Health	18	1,070.00	1,180.35	1,289.90	1,285.00
Inspection of Animals	19	100.00	100.00	125.00	125.00
		<u>1,170.00</u>	<u>1,280.35</u>	<u>1,414.90</u>	<u>1,410.00</u>
Highways, Chapter 81	20	6,750.00	6,899.79	6,900.00	6,900.00
High'ays, Chap. 90 Ma't.	21	600.00	554.18	See Art. in Warrant	
Highways, Eq. & Ma't.	22	2,770.00	2,553.86	1,800.00	1,800.00
Snow Removal and Eq'p.	23	2,000.00	1,583.17	1,400.00	1,400.00
Highways, Special Ma't.	24	310.00	313.02	250.00	250.00
Street Lights	25	4,115.00	4,108.86	3,973.32	3,973.32
		<u>16,545.00</u>	<u>16,012.88</u>	<u>14,323.32</u>	<u>14,323.32</u>

Water Maintenance	26	5,600.00	5,333.80	5,300.00	5,300.00
Public Welfare	27	5,500.00	5,144.18	5,000.00	5,000.00
Mothers' Aid	28	1,600.00	742.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	29	4,000.00	5,076.55	5,500.00	5,500.00
Soldiers' Relief	30	125.00	143.15	1,440.00	1,440.00
Military Aid	31	100.00	None	None	None
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		16,925.00	16,439.68	18,740.00	18,740.00
School Department	32	44,195.00	43,956.49	44,024.00	43,850.00
Libraries	33	*1,366.50	*1,393.86	**1,343.89	**1,340.00
Trade School Tuition	34	175.00	391.54	400.00	400.00
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		45,736.50	45,741.89	45,767.89	45,590.00

*Plus \$528.50 from Dog Tax. **Dog Money for Use in '36=\$629.11.

Reserve Fund	35	4,000.00	1,394.39	3,000.00	3,000.00
Fayville Hall	36	490.00	465.97	584.00	580.00
Com'n & T'n H'se Gr'ds	37	225.00	171.55	225.00	225.00
Town Reports	38	480.00	483.00	485.00	485.00
Coasting Supervision	39	10.00	None	10.00	10.00
Swimming Pool Sup'sion	40	150.00	126.45	150.00	150.00
Liability Insurance	41	550.00	871.19	950.00	950.00

General Insurance	42	1,342.73	1,351.67	1,144.49	1,144.49
Cemetery Maintenance	43	2,443.00	2,742.89	2,664.00	2,660.00
Interest on Debt	44	13,551.88	13,551.88	12,756.13	12,756.13
Debt Retirement	45	15,900.00	15,900.00	15,900.00	15,900.00
		<u>39,142.61</u>	<u>37,058.99</u>	<u>37,868.62</u>	<u>37,860.62</u>
		\$135,452.36	\$132,125.89	\$132,234.53	\$132,018.94

Worcester County Hospital

(debt, maintenance, interest)

5,343.85

5,292.61
(Art. in War.)

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. BURKE, Secretary,
EDWARD W. FAY, Chairman,
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Advisory Committee

EMERGENCY RELIEF ADMINISTRATION OF MASSACHUSETTS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Southborough, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

We herewith respectfully submit a report of the local Administration of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration. Southborough received from the Federal Government a total of \$43,464.60 on relief projects, from the inception of C.W.A. through E.R.A. to W.P.A., from December 1st, 1933, to December 15th, 1935.

We had 19 projects through C.W.A., sponsored by the Town, in addition to 1 Federal, 3 State and 2 County projects.

We have had 27 projects under E.R.A. and during the past year our monthly grants amounted to \$18,918.00 from Federal funds.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE F. FIELD,
E.R.A. Administrator

ERNEST K. SHAW,
Field Administrative Clerk.